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FOR THE YEAR

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Moderator

George Howard

Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, Board of Assessors and Board of Health

Ralph A. Chase	Term expires 1941
Edward D. Penniman	Term expires 1942
Maurice W. Wiley	Term expires 1943

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector

Leslie E. Chase

Highway Surveyor

Nathan A. Nickerson

Registrars of Voters

Ralph A. Chase	Maurice W. Wiley
Edward D. Penniman	Leslie E. Chase

Trustees of the Public Library

Otto E. Nickerson	Term expires 1943
Mrs. Sadie Flint	Term expires 1942
Mrs. Charles Gunn	Term expires 1941

Constables

Harvey T. Moore
Charles F. Atwood (Designated Shellfish Constable)

Tree Warden

Ernest M. Moore

Town Accountant

L. Isabelle Brackett

Weigher of Coal

Samuel H. Brackett

Inspector of Cattle and Slaughtering

Harry W. Collins

Fish Wardens

Ommund H. Howes Joseph W. Ryder Norman Dixon

Forest Fire Warden

Adin L. Gill

Burial Agent

Herbert D. Nickerson

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Stanley M. Walker

Special Police

George E. Hardwick
J. Curtis Curtin
Walter F. Nickerson
Charles S. Whiting

Milk and Sanitary Inspector

George F. Crocker

Assistant Milk and Sanitary Inspector

Alton Robbins

Supervisor or Old Cemeteries and Soldiers' and Sailors' Lots

Fred F. Dill

Inspector of Wires

Maurice A. Moore
Reuben S. B. Hopkins

Finance Committee

Charles F. Atwood, Chairman and Secretary	Term expires 1942
Herbert D. Nickerson	Term expires 1942
Maurice A. Moore	Term expires 1942
Carl C. French	Term expires 1941
Charles A. Gunn	Term expires 1941
Richard H. Whitford	Term expires 1941
Abbott H. Walker	Term expires 1943
Harvey T. Moore	Term expires 1943
Lewis W. Collins	Term expires 1943

List of Jurors

Richard H. Whitford	George H. Carlisle
Charles H. Acorn	Bernard C. Collins
Ralph L. Rogers	Charles W. Whelpley

Charles L. Holbrook

Assessors' Report

VALUATION OF TOWN JANUARY 1, 1940

Real Estate, Land	$405,770.00
Real Estate, Buildings	867,460.00
Personal Estate	123,160.00
Total Valuation	$1,396,390.00

Taxes Assessed January 1, 1940

Levied on Real Estate	$34,377.21
Levied on Personal Estate	3,325.31
Levied on Polls	430.00
Moth Assessment	30.00
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,786.82
Rate of Taxation $27.00	
Number of Polls Assessed	215
Number of Dwellings Assessed	466
Number of Horses Assessed	5
Number of Cows Assessed	44
Number of neat cattle other than cows assessed	11
Number of Swine Assessed	1
Number of Fowl Assessed	745
Acres of Land Assessed	7,322.7
Number of persons, partnership and Corporations Assessed	766
Raised for town purposes	30,477.54
Raised for State Tax	3,200.00
Raised for County Tax	4,064.97

Raised for Mosquito Control tax	451.93
State Parks	38.08

Taxes Assessed December 20, 1940

Real Estate Land and Building	$8.10
Number of Registered voters, January 1, 1940	381

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN,

RALPH A. CHASE,

MAURICE W. WILEY,

Board of Assessors.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—EASTHAM 1940 RECAPITULATION

		Figures Used In Fixing Tax Rate G. L. Chap. 59,
A. CITY OR TOWN: Include All Appropriations Voted Since 1939 Tax Rate Was Fixed		
1. Total appropriations as certified by city or town clerk to be raised by taxation, Chap. 41, § 15A	$44,600	§ § 23, 25
2. Total Appropriations voted to be taken from available funds: (a) In 1940 $700 (b) In 1939, since 1939 tax rate was fixed $1,600	2,300	$46,903.00
B. STATE: Tax and Assessments:	1940 Estimates	
1. State Tax	$3,200.00	
2. State Parks and Reservations	38.08	
3. Cape Cod Mosquito Control (Barnstable County only)	451.93	
	$3,690.01	3,690.01
C. COUNTY: Tax and Assessments:		
1. County Tax	$4,064.97	
	$4,064.97	4,064.97
D. OVERLAY of current year		1,479.84
E.	**Gross Amount To Be Raised**	$56,137.82
F. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS		
1. Income Tax	$2,901.15	
2. Gasoline Tax (Acts of 1939, Chapters 232 and 504)	3,848.97	
3. Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	1,700.00	
4. Licenses	400.00	
5. Fines	22.00	
6. Special Assessments	40.00	
7. General Government	100.00	
8. Charities (other than federal grants for aid to dependent children)	804.00	
9. Old Age Assistance (other than federal grants)	2,800.00	
10. Soldiers' Benefits	30.00	

11. Schools			2,377.88	
12. Interest: On Taxes and Assessments $497.10			497.10	
13. Veterans' Exemptions			37.91	
14. Inspection of Animals			12.50	
15. Sealer of Weights and Measures			16.90	
15. Public Utility Tax			86.60	
16.	Total Estimated Receipts		$15,675.01	
17. Overestimates of previous year to be used as available funds:				
(a) 1939 State Parks			5.39	
(b) Cape Cod Mosquito Control			24.89	
18. Amounts voted to be taken from available funds (before any such amount can be used in fixing tax rate, the Commissioner's written approval must be obtained)	(a)	$900.00		
	(b)	700.00		
	(c)	700.00		
			2,300.00	
19.	Total Available Funds		$2,330.28	
20.	**Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds**			18,005.29
G.	**Net Amount To Be Raised By Taxation on Polls and Property**			$38,132.53
H. Number of Polls, 215, at $2.00 each Poll Tax			$430.00	
J. Total Valuation: Personal Property $123,160 (Tax Rate $27.00) Personal Property Tax			3,325.32	
Real Estate $1,273,230 (Tax Rate $27.00), Real Estate Tax			34,377.21	
L.	**Total Taxes Levied On Polls and Property**			$38,132.53
M. Items not entering into the determination of the Tax Rate				
1. Betterment and special assessments:				
(a) Private Moth $30.00			$30.00	
N.	**Total of All Other Commitments**			30.00
O. Total Amount of All Taxes on Polls and Property and Assessments Committed to the Collector to Date of Fixing Tax Rate				$38,162.53

Treasurer's Report

Receipts

Jan. 1, 1940, balance in treasury	$810.92
Receipts to Dec. 31, 1940 inclusive	96,302.87
	$97,113.79

Payments

Payments Warrants 1-35 inclusive	$89,105.54
December 31, 1940 on deposit	5,037.21
December 31, 1940 cash and checks on hand	2,971.04
	$97,113.79

MUNICIPAL TRUST FUNDS

Timothy Smith Fund

Income

Jan. 1, 1940 on deposit	$17,637.49
Loans prior to 1940	8,256.87
Income April	462.54
Income October	435.51
Interest Wellfleet Savings Bank	170.84
Interest Cape Cod Trust Co.	189.76
	$27,153.01

Payments

December 31, 1940 on deposit	$18,176.14
Loans prior to 1940	8,256.87
Loans 1940	520.00
Library	100.00
Gift Clause	100.00
	$27,153.01

TOWN HALL TRUST FUND

Jan. 1, 1940 on deposit	$99.51
Interest 1940	1.87
Nov. 1, 1940 Income deposited	49.62
No charges against this fund in 1940	$151.00
Dec. 31, 1940 Balance on deposit	$151.00

OLD WIND GRIST MILL FUND

Jan. 1, 1940 on deposit		$551.74
Interest 1940		13.86
Dec. 4, 1940 Deposit		10.00
		$575.60
Withdrawn for repairs to Mill	$20.05	
Dec. 31, 1940 Balance on deposit	555.55	
		$575.60

OLD WIND GRIST MILL OPERATING FUND

Jan. 1, 1940 on deposit		$41.69
Sept. 3, 1940 deposited		119.58
Oct. 4, 1940 deposited		17.55
Dec. 3, 1940 deposited		2.25
Interest 1940		1.28
		$182.46
Withdrawn for Operating Expense of Mill	$174.28	
Dec. 31, 1940, Balance on deposit	8.18	
		$182.46

EASTHAM WORLD WAR MEMORIAL FUND

Jan. 1, 1940 on Deposit	$431.60
Interest 1940	10.84
	$442.44
No charges against this account in 1940	
Dec. 31, 1940 Balance on deposit	$442.44

BILLINGS LIBRARY FUND

Jan. 1, 1940 in Trust		$14,000.00
Income January		210.00
Income July		210.00
		$14,420.00
Deposited in Town Funds	$420.00	
Dec. 31, 1940 In Trust	14,000.00	
		$14,420.00

EASTHAM COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE FUND

Jan. 1, 1940 on deposit	$72.31
Interest	1.27
	$73.58
No charges against this account in 1940	
Dec. 31, 1940 Balance on deposit	$73.58

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Zara Higgins Cemetery Fund

Jan. 1, 1940 on deposit	$134.93
Interest 1940	3.37
	$138.30
No charges against this account in 1940	
Dec. 31, 1940 Balance on deposit	$138.30

Frank O. Daniels Cemetery Fund

Jan. 1, 1940 on deposit		$50.99
Interest 1940		1.26
		$52.25
Withdrawn for care of Lot	$2.25	
Dec. 31, 1940 Balance on deposit	50.00	
		$52.25

Mercy A. Mines Cemetery Fund

Jan. 1, 1940 on deposit		$53.30
Interest 1940		1.32
		$54.62
Withdrawn for care of Lot	$4.00	
Dec. 31, 1940 Balance on deposit	50.62	
		$54.62

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Treasurer.

Report of Collector of Taxes

Dr.

Balance due Taxes of 1938, January 1, 1940	$2,096.95
Balance due Taxes of 1939, Personal, Jan. 1, 1940	831.87
Balance due Taxes of 1939, real estate, Jan. 1, 1940	10,882.04
Balance due Moth Taxes of 1938, Jan. 1, 1940	1.32
Balance due Moth Taxes of 1939, Jan. 1, 1940	11.25
Balance due Poll Taxes of 1939, Jan. 1, 1940	6.00
Warrant Taxes of 1940 Personal	3,325.32
Warrant Taxes of 1940 Real Estate	34,385.31
Warrant Moth Taxes of 1940	30.00
Warrant Poll Taxes of 1940	430.00
Overpayment Taxes of 1938 (Refunded)	.20
Overpayment Taxes of 1939 (Refunded)	.52
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1935	2.70
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1936	5.00
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1937	9.88
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1938	10.26
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1939	10.26
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1940	4.86
Abatement after payment Taxes of 1940	43.20
	$52,086.94

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Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1938	$1,828.23
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1939 Personal	707.73
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1939 Real Estate	7,371.95
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1940 Personal	2,596.05
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1940 Real Estate	24,082.23

Paid Treasurer Poll Taxes of 1940	372.00
Paid Treasurer Moth Taxes of 1938	1.32
Paid Treasurer Moth Taxes of 1939	10.00
Paid Treasurer Moth Taxes of 1940	17.50
Abatement Taxes of 1935	2.70
Abatement Taxes of 1936	5.00
Abatement Taxes of 1937	9.88
Abatement Taxes of 1938	183.60
Abatement Taxes of 1939 Personal	1.62
Abatement Taxes of 1939 Real Estate	241.65
Abatement Taxes of 1940 Personal	18.90
Abatement of Taxes of 1940 Real Estate	1,099.71
Abatement Poll Taxes of 1939	6.00
Abatement Poll Taxes of 1940	52.00
Tax Titles of 1938	95.58
Tax Titles of 1939	92.88
Tax Titles of 1940	510.84
Uncollected Taxes of 1939 Personal	122.52
Uncollected Taxes of 1939 Real Estate	3,186.34
Uncollected Taxes of 1940 Personal	710.37
Uncollected Taxes of 1940 Real Estate	8,740.59
Uncollected Moth Taxes of 1939	1.25
Uncollected Moth Taxes of 1940	12.50
Uncollected Poll Taxes of 1940	6.00
	$52,086.94

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES

Dr.

Balance due Excise of 1939, Jan. 1, 1940	$88.68
Additional Warrant (February 5, 1940)	2.00
Warrants Excise Tax 1940	1,786.82

Abatements after payment (Refunded)	102.85
	$1,980.35

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Paid Treasurer Excise Taxes of 1939	$84.68
Paid Treasurer Excise Taxes of 1940	1,737.65
Abatement Excise Taxes of 1939	2.00
Abatement Excise Taxes of 1940	104.85
Uncollected Excise Taxes of 1939	4.00
Uncollected Excise Taxes of 1940	47.17
	$1,980.35

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE

Collector of Taxes

Report of Town Clerk

DOGS LICENSED IN 1940

39 Male Dogs @ $2.00	$78.00
14 Female Dogs @ 5.00	70.00
11 Spayed Female Dogs @ 2.00	22.00
	$170.00

Animal Rescue League Exempted From Fee By Law.

Fees retained by Clerk, 64 @ .20	12.80
June 15, 1940, Paid County Treasurer	113.40
Nov. 15, 1940, Paid County Treasurer	43.80
	$170.00

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, DIVISION OF FISHERIES & GAME

			Total	Fees	Paid Div. of F.&G.
22	Resident Fishing Licenses	@ $2.00	$44.00	$ 5.50	$38.50
71	Resident Hunting Licenses	@ 2.00	142.00	17.75	124.25
9	Resident Sporting Licenses	@ 3.25	29.25	2.25	27.00
2	Resident Women's & Minors' Fish. Lic.	@ 1.25	2.50	.50	2.00
1	Resident Trapping License	@ 5.25	5.25	.25	5.00
7	Resident Sporting and Trapping Licenses				
20	3-Day Non-Resident Fishing Licenses	@ 1.50	30.00	5.00	25.00
2	Non-Resident Fishing Licenses	@ 5.25	10.50	.50	10.00
1	Duplicate License	@ .50	.50		.50
2	Lobster or Crab Licenses	@ 5.00	10.00	.50	9.50
			$274.00	$32.25	$241.75

BIRTHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1940

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Mar. 21	Barry Louis Fulcher	Louis Y. Fulcher	Helen Myrick
June 24	Constance Lorraine Whiting	Joseph Robert Whiting	Mildred Florence Paine
July 28	Robert Edward Fulcher	Robert Edward Fulcher	Eleanor Frances Beecher
Aug. 30	Suzanne Ryder	Franklin W. Ryder	Hazel I. Fulcher
Oct. 1	David Allen Schofield	Winford Lester Schofield	Ruth Marjorie Richardson
Nov. 3	Althea Wiley Adamson	James Kilgor Black Adamson	Sophia Althea Wiley
Nov. 20	Robert La Mont Brown	James Martin Brown	Cecelia May Meehan
Nov. 21	Jeanne Elizabeth Whiting	Edward W. Whiting	Frances Anna Newcomb
Dec. 3	Edith Melanie Willoughby	Foster Milton Willoughby	Eleanor Mary Carazzari

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1940

Aug.	31	Everett W. Gross	Eastham
		Virginia D. Small	Harwich, Mass.
Oct.	26	Herbert D. Fulcher	Eastham
		Elva Healey	Cambridge, Mass.
Nov.	24	Carlton F. Mayo	Eastham
		Elizabeth E. Stanford (Howard)	Yarmouth, Mass.
Nov.	28	Joseph A. King	Eastham
		Aurare Doiron	Eastham

DEATHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1940

Date	Name	Age Y.	M.	D	Cause of Death
Feb. 27	Cornelia Abby Hopkins	83	9	24	Arterio Sclerosis
Mar. 28	Riley Herbert Parker	72	2	11	Nephritis, Arterio Sclerosis
June 3	Frank Ellison	95	(About)		Chronic Nephritis, Arterio Sclerosis
June 25	Hattie Estelle Parker	74	5	22	Coronary Thrombosis, Arteril Sclerosis
Aug. 11	Adeline Davis (Higgins) Eldredge	80	11	11	Artheritis Deformaus, Arterio Sclerosis
Sept. 18	Carrie Elvira (Dill) Chase	75	2	8	Coronary Thrombosis, Arterio Sclerosis, Chronic Artheritis
Oct. 20	Abbie F. (Chipman) Smart	77		11	Coronary Thrombosis, Chalecystitis
Dec. 1	Mary Hale Ayer Cross	69	6	26	Uremia, Myocarditis, Cerebral Hemorrhage, Arterio Sclerosis

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

February 5-6, 1940

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County aforesaid: Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in Eastham, Monday, the fifth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the articles in this warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall, Eastham, Tuesday, the sixth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to elect all necessary town officers.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report, including recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees.

Article 2. To see if the Town will elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded dog tax.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, provided the State makes a satisfactory allotment, for repairs and maintenance of town

ways under Chapter 81, Sections 26-29, General Laws as amended.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1940, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 17, General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year, beginning January 1, 1940, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 69, General Laws.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Massachusetts, for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, of the General Laws, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for free band concerts to

be given by the Junior Community Band during the ensuing year, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of shellfish, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 11. To see what sum of money shall be taken from available funds toward defraying the tax levy of 1940.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the local W.P.A. or any succeeding Government agency of like nature, for the purchase of material or other expenses.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided under the provisions of Section 48, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 329 of the Acts of 1933.

Article 15. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Section 55, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 329, of the Acts of 1933.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for the suppression of tent caterpillars, under the direction of the local 4-H Club leaders, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of paying 1938 bills.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the road beginning at Samoset Road and running in a northwesterly direction 300 feet over land of Philip J. Schwind to the Herring Brook Road.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $600.00 from the Sale of Real Estate Fund to be used to help pay off the school note.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to transfer $500.00 from the New School Land Taking Fund and $200.00 from the Nauset Beach Land Taking Fund for the purpose of paying off the schoolhouse note, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a power sprayer, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to acquire land for the purpose of a town way, beginning at the north end of Nauset Light Beach Road and running in a northerly direction a distance of

about 3,300 feet, and appropriate a sum of money for same, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to establish a road machinery account to which shall be credited all receipts received for the use or rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purpose, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to establish a road machinery fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift from Mr. Ruben Horton, a parcel of land near Sunken Meadow Landing, so-called, to be used as a public town landing, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money under the provisions of Chapter 90, General Laws, same to be used for maintenance of Herring Brook Road, and that the Selectmen be authorized to enter into any contracts necessary.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the purpose of purchasing a hydraulic snow plow lift, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for cleaning up and maintaining the Town Dump, or do or act anything thereon.

Polls will be opened for voting on Tuesday, February 6, 1940 in the Town Hall, Eastham, Massachusetts, from 10 a.m., to 6 p.m., and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, at the Post Office in North Eastham and the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before time of holding said meeting, as aforesaid. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting. Given under our hands this 13th day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty.

RALPH A. CHASE

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN

MAURICE W. WILEY

Selectmen of Eastham

A true copy.

Attest: Harvey T. Moore, Constable

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

February 6, 1940

Meeting called to order at 10 o'clock by the Moderator, warrant calling meeting read by Town Clerk together with return of the officer who served the same.

Tellers appointed: Charles L. Holbrook and Esther F. Tibbals and sworn by the Moderator.

Article 1. Voted to amend the recommended budget by increasing the amount proposed for Aid to Dependent Children from $1,000 to $1,500.

Amendment to change proposed budget relating to Office Supplies to $400.00 and Officers' Salaries and Expense to $395.00 was not carried.

Voted informally to request the Selectmen to set up in their budget for 1941 an account of Officers' Salaries, Officers' Expense and Office Supplies.

Voted to request the School Committee to itemize their Miscellaneous Account in their report in future years.

Voted that the Town should not buy a dory for shellfish purposes.

Voted to accept the Town Report as printed with the exception of change in budget figures for Aid to Dependent Children.

The budget submitted by the Finance Committee and accepted by the town for 1940 with the change as voted by the meeting is as follows:

Office Supplies	$200.00
Officers' Salaries and Expenses	4,000.00

Surety on Bond	125.00
Assessors' Salaries and Expenses	600.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00
Legal Expenses	75.00
Janitor	648.00
Town Hall	550.00
Suppression of Crime	50.00
Town Fires	50.00
Orleans Fire Department	150.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	20.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	50.00
Inspection of Wiring	50.00
Moth Suppression	560.00
Private Moth	40.00
Tree Warden	20.00
Bounty on Woodchucks	40.00
Health	400.00
Inspection of Animals	25.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highways General	250.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	1,500.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	4,500.00
Soldiers' Benefits	300.00
Schools	16,900.00
Tax Title Account	300.00
Town Landings	100.00
Memorial Day	100.00
Community Christmas Tree	35.00
Town Reports	250.00
Insurance	500.00
Finance Committee	10.00

Old Mill	100.00	
Miscellaneous	125.00	
Reserve Fund	1,000.00	
Old Cemeteries	150.00	
Interest	375.00	
School House Note	700.00	
		$36,753.00

Article 2. Voted to elect a Town Director to the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Elected Clayton O. Horton, Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. Voted to turn the refunded Dog Tax over to the Public Library Account.

Article 4. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,225.00 for care and maintenance of town ways under Chapter 81, Sections 26 to 29 as amended, provided the State will make a satisfactory allotment to the town for same. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 5. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the support of the Public Library.

Article 6. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to hire money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1940, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes that may be given for period for less than one year.

Article 7. Voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to

time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1940, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for less than one year, in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 69, General Laws.

Article 8. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Massachusetts, as outlined under Article 8 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant.

Article 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for free Band Concerts during the coming year, 40 in favor, 3 opposed.

Article 10. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for propagation of shellfish, 26 in favor, 3 opposed.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for protection of shellfish, 33 in favor, 5 opposed.

Article 11. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 12. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for local W.P.A. or other Government agency of like nature. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 13. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms as provided for under the provisions of Chapter 130, Section 48, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Article 14. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Article 15. Voted to invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provision of Section 55, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Article 16. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $25.00 for the suppression of tent caterpillars, under the direction of the local 4-H Club Leader. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 17. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 18. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to make a charge for all shellfish licenses issued. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 19. Voted to discontinue the road beginning at Samoset Road and running northwesterly over land of Philip J. Schwind, a distance of approximately 300 feet to Herring Brook Road. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 20. Voted to appropriate the sum of $600.00 from the Sale of Real Estate Fund to be used toward paying off the schoolhouse note. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 21. Voted to transfer the sum of $200.00 from Nauset Beach Land Taking Fund and $500.00 for New Schoolhouse Land Taking Fund, to be used toward paying off the schoolhouse note.

Article 22. Voted to authorize and empower the Selectmen to sell land taken by Tax Title procedure from time to time in their discretion and that a list af all land for sale by the Town be kept posted in two or more public places and that an appropriation of $50.00 be made for this purpose. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 23. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $700.00 for the purchase of a power sprayer. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 24. Voted to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase, gift or eminent domain in fee and on behalf of the town for road purposes a certain parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the north end of Nauset Light Beach Road, so-called, and running in a northerly direction over land of Gertrude Cummings, Hattie Doane Watson, Clifford A. Turner, Heirs of James P. Hatch, Heirs of Russell Higgins and others to the north side of the property of the Heirs of James P. Hatch, a distance of about 3,300 feet, at a width of 40 feet the entire distance and that the sum of $400.00 be appropriated for that purpose and improving the same, 39 in favor, 1 opposed.

Article 25. Motion to establish a road machinery account was voted down.

Article 26. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 27. Voted to accept as a gift from Reuben W. Horton, a plot of land at Sunken Meadow Beach, on Cape Cod Bay, to be used for a Town Landing Place and to be known as Horton Landing, said plot of land to be 150 feet by 200 feet.

Article 28. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 to be used under the provisions of Chapter 90 for maintenance of Herring Brook Road and the Selectmen be authorized to enter into any contracts necessary. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 29. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for a hydraulic snow lift. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 30. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for cleaning up and maintaining the Town Dump, the Board of Health to have full charge.

Voted to instruct the Selectmen to follow the recommendations of the Finance Committee as far as practicable.

The Moderator appointed at this time, to the Eastham Finance Committee as follows:

Abbott H. Walker, for three years.

Harvey T. Moore, for three years.

Lewis W. Collins, for three years.

Minutes of meeting read and adopted.

Voted to adjourn at 4:05 P.M.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL ELECTION

February 6, 1940

Polls opened at 10 A.M.

Elected:

George Howard, Moderator for one year.

Maurice W. Wiley, Selectmen, Assessor, Board of Health and Public Welfare for three years.

Leslie E. Chase, Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year.

Stanley M. Walker, Member of School Committee for three years.

Otto E. Nickerson, Trustee of Public Library for three years.

Esther I. Gunn, Trustee of Public Library. (Vacancy)

Nathan A. Nickerson, Highway Surveyor for one year.

Harvey T. Moore and Charles F. Atwood, Constables for one year.

Ernest M. Moore, Tree Warden for one year.

Ballot box stood 000 at opening and 220 at closing, there having been that number of ballots cast.

Polls closed at 6. p.m.

Attest:

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Officers appointed by Selectmen February 6, 1940:

L. Isabelle Brackett, Town Accountant.

Samuel H. Brackett, Weigher of Coal.

Harry W. Collins, Inspector of Cattle and Inspector of Slaughtering.

Ommund H. Howes, Joseph W. Ryder, Norman Dixon, Fish Wardens.

Adin L. Gill, Forest Fire Warden.

Ernest M. Moore, Moth Superintendent.

Herbert D. Nickerson, Burial Agent.

Stanley M. Walker, Sealer of Weights and Measures.

George E. Hardwick, Walter F. Nickerson, Charles S. Whiting, Special Police.

George F. Crocker, Milk, Sanitary Inspector.

Alton Robbins, Assistant Sanitary Inspector.

Fred F. Dill, Supervisor of Old Cemeteries, Soldiers' and Sailors' Lots.

Ruben S. Hopkins, Inspector of Wiring.

Maurice A. Moore, Inspector of Wiring.

William B. Steele, Pound Keeper.

Adin L. Gill, Obed A. Fulcher, Arthur E. Brown, Field Drivers.

Eastham, Massachusetts
February 29, 1940

Mr. Leslie E. Chase
Town Clerk
Eastham, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Chase:

At a meeting of the Eastham Finance Committee held on the 26th day of February 1940, the following were duly elected:

Charles F. Atwood, Chairman.

Charles F. Atwood, Secretary.

Yours very truly,

CHARLES F. ATWOOD,
Secretary.

TO THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH

The Board of Special Commissioners to divide Barnstable County into Representative Districts and to assign Representatives thereto, by virtue of the authority vested in it by appointment of His Excellency the Governor does hereby certify that it has divided Barnstable County into Representative Districts as follows:—

First Barnstable District: Towns of Bourne, Sandwich, Falmouth, Mashpee, and Barnstable, and has assigned one Representative thereto; total number of legal voters, 9,236.

Second Barnstable District: Towns of Yarmouth, Dennis, Harwich, Brewster, Chatham, Orleans, Eastham, Wellfleet, Truro and Provincetown, and has assigned one Representative thereto; total number of legal voters, 9,083.

The Commissioners have further designated the Town office at Barnstable in the village of Hyannis as the meeting place for the Town Clerks of the First Barnstable District to canvass the votes for Representative; and have designated the Town Hall in Eastham as the meeting place for the Town Clerks of the Second Barnstable District to canvass the votes for Representatives.

ROBERT E. FRENCH, Chairman
JOHN H. PAINE, Secretary
HELEN S. ALLEN
CHARLES W. MEGATHLIN
KATHERINE W. BURGESS

True copy.

Attest: JOHN H. PAINE, Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Report of the Eastham Finance Committee

For the Year 1940

Organization: February 26, 1940

Charles F. Atwood elected Chairman and Secretary.

The Committee has held five meetings during the year 1940, one for the purpose of organization, two for consideration of Town Meeting articles and two for the approval of transfers.

Transfers approved were as follows:

To Snow Account	$44.68	
To Town Hall Account	36.95	
To W.P.A. Account	25.34	
To Assessors Abstract Account	8.14	
To Miscellaneous	46.84	
	$161.95	
Reserve Account		$1,000.00
Transfers		161.95
Balance Reserve		$838.05

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. ATWOOD
HERBERT D. NICKERSON
HARVEY T. MOORE
CHARLES A. GUNN
HAROLD WHITFORD
ABBOTT S. WALKER
CARL E. FRENCH
LEWIS W. COLLINS
MAURICE A. MOORE
Eastham Finance Committee

Annual Report of Shellfish Constable

During the past year a total of 610 bushels of various kinds of shellfish seed was planted, classified as follows:

50 bushels oyster seed
100 bushels scallop seed
460 bushels clam seed

A report showing the amount of State participation in the clam reseeding project will be found on another page.

The oyster seed was furnished by the Division of Marine Fisheries with an actual cost to the Town of $2.00 for planting.

Scallop seed also furnished by the State with a cost to the Town of $14.00 for motor boat hire and labor, half of which is refunded by the Town of Orleans.

I have wanted for a number of years to try reseeding scallops in the Town Cove. Previously I have been unable to obtain the seed. It is my opinion that the Cove will grow scallops again, as it has in the past, providing enough parent stock is introduced. Thanks are due to Mr. Barnes of the Division of Marine Fisheries, Mr. Eldredge of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen and Bernard C. Collins of Eastham for their cooperation which made the obtaining of this seed possible.

The Municipal quahaug beds in the Salt Pond, River

and Hemmenway's Channel were opened for shellfishing last September. Previous to the time of opening I consulted with Bernard C. Collins relative to price. He agreed to buy all cherrystones at $1.75 per bushel. In three weeks he bought 368 bushels. During that same period 100 bushels were taken by fishermen who did not sell to Collins. Subsequently about 50 bushels more were harvested by the commercial fishermen. Approximately 50 bushels were taken from the River and Pond for family use. I estimate that at least 100 bushels remain in the River at the present time. This makes a total of 568 bushels harvested and 100 bushels on hand at a value of $1,100.00 The investment by the Town was exactly $189.93, which covered all items connected with the purchase and planting.

I believe, however, that our largest return will be derived from the set of seed which was received from these quahaugs. The Pond and River are well seeded and even as far down as Hemmenway Bar at the beach I have counted 22 quahaug seed to the square foot. It would appear that the planting of quahaugs is a sound investment and should be continued on a larger scale. There is little doubt that if a policy of continuous seeding was adapted, that our Nauset Flats could be brought back to something like their old productiveness.

It must be borne in mind that without the cooperative help of the Division of Marine Fisheries, both financial and otherwise, very little could be accomplished in the matter of shellfish propagation with only $200 a year to work with. Undoubtedly the knowledge by the Division that we are also willing to cooperate with them, reacts in a favorable manner for us. In pursuance of this policy we have furnished, in addition to clam seed transplanted for our own use, a mat-

ter of 1,500 bushels for planting in other Towns of the Commonwealth.

This amount together with our own provided a payroll of about $1,400.00 which was distributed among the various fishermen taking part in the work. This seed was taken from areas that have always been ravaged by birds in winter and represents a clean savings. This money, of course, was furnished by the Division of Marine Fisheries. No cost whatever accrued to this Town because of seed furnished to other Towns.

A good Spring and Fall set of clam seed was received on most flats, and in certain fast growing sections, steamer clams will be large enough to dig next Summer.

As will be noted by the accounting between Eastham and Orleans the net return on permits, etc., was $319.22 leaving a balance of only $230.78 net cost to Town for propagation and protection of shellfish. It is my earnest recommendation that the appropriation for propagation be increased somewhat, if possible.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. F. ATWOOD

Shellfish Constable

Statement—Eastham, Orleans Shellfish Account for Year 1940

Receipts—Eastham		Receipts—Orleans	
Grants	$ .55	Grants	$25.85

Family permits	291.00	Family permits	120.50
Commercial Permits	56.00	Commercial permits	130.00
Total	$347.55		$276.35
	276.35		
	½ 623.90		
	$311.95		
Due Orleans	$35.60		

Expense—Eastham		Expense—Orleans	
Town Clerk's fees	$7.00	Town Clerk's fees	$16.25
Goss Print	2.00	Cloth Signs	7.50
Making Signs, Lumber, etc.	18.87	Lumber	6.58
Truck hire	5.00	Goss Print, Publishing notice	2.00
Planting scallops	14.00		
	$46.87		$32.33
	32.33		
	½) 79.20		
	$39.60		
Due Eastham	$7.27		
Due Orleans from Eastham			$35.60
Due Eastham from Orleans			7.27
Adjustment—Paid Orleans			$28.33

LESLIE E. CHASE
Town Clerk

Eastham, Mass.
Oct. 11, 1940

Mr. Barnes, Director
Division of Marine Fisheries
20 Somerset St.
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

Following you will find a complete report covering the activities carried out under the Eastham Clam Reseeding Project which was completed on October 9, 1940.

COLLECTIONS

Date	No. Bus.	Amount	Where Planted
Sept. 23	21	$14.70	Salt Pond
Sept. 24	41½	29.05	Sunken Meadow
Sept. 26	67	46.90	Sunken Meadow
Sept. 28	44½	31.15	Sunken Meadow
Sept. 30	66	46.20	Sunken Meadow
Oct. 1	18½	12.95	Sunken Meadow
Oct. 2	42	29.40	Sunken Meadow
Oct. 4	58	40.60	Sunken Meadow
Oct. 8	66	46.20	33 bus. Kingsbury Beach 33 bus. Herring Brook
	424½	$297.15	$297.15
	Commission—424½ bus. @ .02		8.49
	Grand Total contributed by the State		$305.64

PLANTING

	No. Man Hrs.	Amount
Sept. 24	7	$3.50

Sept. 25	21		10.50
Sept. 27	28		14.00
Sept. 29	18		9.00
Oct. 1	20		10.00
Oct. 2	12½		6.25
Oct. 3	10		5.00
Oct. 5	20	16 @ .50	8.00
		4 @ .35	1.40
Oct. 9	25		12.50
	161½		$80.15
Power Boat hire			18.00
Transportation across Cape 403½ bus. @ .05			20.18
Use of car on flats 8 tides @ $1.00			8.00
Grand Total contributed by the Town			$126.33
Total Cost of Project			$431.97

Very truly yours,

CHAS. F. ATWOOD,
Constable

Original forwarded to Div. of Marine Fisheries.

Suppression of Moth Receipts and Expenditures

Receipts:		Amount of Expenditures	$1,009.48
From Town of Eastham	$560.00		
From State Cash	225.00		
From State, Material	224.48		
Total Receipts	$1,009.48	Total Expenditures	$1,009.48

ERNEST M. MOORE
Moth Superintendent

Report of Highway Surveyor

Chapter 81

To appropriation	$3,225.00	By payment	$9,675.00
By State	6,450.00		
	$9,675.00		$9,675.00

Laborers' wages	$3,335.58
Surveyor's wages	728.00
Trucks	1,566.00
Power Grader and Operator	567.00
Roller and Operator	11.00
Power Shovel and Operator	220.50
Asphalt	2,624.38
Tar	121.62
Road and Directional Signs and Posts	42.50
Guard Rail paint	36.00
Sand and Hardening	117.92
60 ft. R. C. Pipe	177.00
Delivery charge on pipe	77.70
Street brooms	32.75
Hank of Cord	.59
120 ft. of Spruce	1.77
Oakum	4.50
Axes	4.20
Scythe handle	1.80
Scythe blade	1.25

Files	.70
Pail	.67
Cement	1.57
	$9,675.00

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN A. NICKERSON,
Highway Surveyor.

Report of Highway Surveyor

Chapter 90

To appropriation	$150.00	By payment	$450.00
By State	150.00		
By County	150.00		
	$450.00		$450.00

Laborer's wages	$57.50
Surveyor's wages	17.00
Trucks	34.00
Roller	11.00
Grader	77.00
Asphalt	250.88
Sand and Hardening	2.62
	$450.00

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN A. NICKERSON,
Highway Surveyor.

Report of Town Accountant

To the Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:

I have the honor of submitting the report of the Accounting Department for the year ending December 31, 1940, as follows:

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1940		$810.92
General Revenue		
Taxes 1938	$1,828.83	
Taxes 1939	8,079.68	
Real 1940	24,082.23	
Personal 1940	2,596.05	
Poll 1940	372.00	
		$36,958.19
Motor vehicle excise 1939	84.68	
Motor vehicle excise 1940	1,737.65	
		1,822.33
Tax Title Redemption		76.14
From State		
Income Tax	$2,912.28	
Highways Chapter 232	3,848.97	
Business Corp. tax	205.73	
		6,966.98
From County		
Dog licenses		167.48

Licenses and Permits		
Shellfish	$347.00	
Shellfish grants	.55	
Fishweir	6.00	
Eel fyke	4.00	
Pedlers	12.00	
Innholders	12.00	
Gasolene	7.00	
Lodging house	14.00	
Victuallers	2.00	
Cabin	7.00	
Fireworks	2.00	
Garbage	1.00	
Milk	6.00	
Dog	157.20	
		577.75
Grants and gifts		
Transportation of high school	1,980.00	
Superintendent	220.31	
		2,200.31
Commercial Revenue		
Moth	$28.82	
Town Hall rentals	73.50	
Sealer's fees	15.38	
Library fines	10.00	
		127.70
Timothy Smith Fund		
Gift to Library		100.00
From State		
Inspection of animals	$12.50	
Division of forestry	35.00	

Bounty on seals	11.00	
Highways Chapter 81	7,614.61	
Highways Chapter 90	376.59	
		8,049.70
From County		
Highways Chapter 90		376.59
Charities		
Public Welfare from State	$435.62	
Old Age Assistance from State	4,495.71	
Old Age Assistance from other towns	147.21	
Old Age Assistance U. S. Grant	4,396.44	
Old Age Assistance Adm. U. S. Grant	146.37	
Aid to Dependent Children from State	999.03	
Aid to Dependent Children U. S. Grant	1,126.00	
Aid to Dependent Children Adm. U. S. Grant	1.50	
		11,747.88
Soldiers' Benefits		
State Aid	$40.00	
Veterans' exemption	36.15	
		76.15
Schools		
City of Boston	$395.66	
Telephone tolls	1.10	
		396.76

Unclassified		
Reimbursement for loss of taxes	$7.28	
Tax title redemption	13.00	
Use of telephone	1.15	
Sale of material:		
Voting list	1.00	
Ping pong table	4.00	
Costs refunded taxes	13.05	
		39.48
Sale of Land		
Interest		585.00
Taxes R. and P.	$368.44	
Poll taxes	.58	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes	3.45	
Tax title interest	5.24	
Poll tax demands	12.95	
		390.66
Old Mill		
Sale of Meal (deposited)		139.49
Loans		
Anticipation of Revenue	$18,000.00	
Anticipation of Reimbursement	5,000.00	
		23,000.00
Income		
Billings Fund	$420.00	
Timothy Smith Fund	898.05	
Town Hall Fund	49.62	
		1,367.67
Withdrawn, Trust Fund		
Timothy Smith Fund Loans	520.00	

Timothy Smith Fund Gifts	200.00	
Cemetery Trust Fund	6.25	
Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	20.05	
		746.30
Withdrawn, Other Funds		
Old Mill Operating Fund	174.28	174.28
Refunds		
Dog Account	$20.00	
Insurance	141.73	
W. P. A.	5.00	
Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	10.00	
Interest	12.50	
Public Welfare	15.25	
Dental Clinic	6.75	
Advertising	4.80	
		216.03
Total Receipts		$97,113.79

PAYMENTS

Office Supplies	$194.86
Officers' Salaries and Expenses	3,874.97
Surety on Bond	97.97
Assessors' Salaries and Expenses	592.91
Assessors' Abstracts	83.14
Certification of Notes	6.00
Legal Expenses	56.00
Janitor	648.00
Town Hall	586.95
Suppression of Crime	8.35
Town Fires	41.80
Orleans Fire Department	9.00

Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	18.50
Sealer of Weights and Measures	45.21
Inspection of Wiring	32.00
Moth Suppression	560.00
Private Moth Suppression	40.00
Purchase Power Sprayer	661.00
Suppression Tent Caterpillars	15.00
Tree Warden	9.00
Bounty on Woodchucks	40.00
Shellfish Propagation	198.98
Shellfish Protection	350.00
Health	309.92
Town Dump	411.39
Inspection of Animals	25.00
Dog Account	18.00
Highways—General	129.59
Highways Chap. 81	9,675.00
Highways Chap. 90	450.00
Acquire Land, Town Way, Nauset Light Rd. Northerly	368.10
Snow	344.68
Purchase of Hydraulic Snow Plow Lift	98.72
Public Welfare	1,062.81
Aid to Dependent Children	1,499.25
Aid to Dependent Children U. S. G.	1,285.50
Old Age Assistance	4,487.53
Old Age Assistance U. S. G.	4,629.50
Old Age Assistance Administration U. S. G.	86.14
Soldiers Benefits	80.00
W. P. A.	1,030.34
Schools	16,615.67
Public Library	783.27
Tax Title Account	178.63
Sale Tax Title Property	19.00

Town Landings	73.58
Landing Nauset	50.00
Free Band Concerts	150.00
Memorial Day	40.00
Community Christmas Tree	30.79
Free Bed Cape Cod Hospital	300.00
Town Reports	250.00
Insurance	598.38
Finance Committee	6.25
Old Mill	97.60
Miscellaneous	171.84
Old Cemeteries	148.00
Interest	357.50
Schoolhouse Note	2,000.00
Loan Anticipation of Reimbursement	5,000.00
Loan Anticipation of Revenue	18,000.00
Tax Refunds	43.92
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Refund	102.85
State Tax	3,200.00
County Tax	4,064.97
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	451.93
State Parks	35.31
Dog Licenses	157.20
Income Timothy Smith Fund	898.05
Timothy Smith Trust Fund (Loans, Gifts)	720.00
Frank O. Daniels Cemetery Trust Fund	2.25
Mercy A. Mines Cemetery Trust Fund	4.00
Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	20.05
Old Mill Operating Account	174.28
Income Town Hall Fund	49.62
Sale of Meal (Deposited)	139.49
Refund to Old Wind Grist Mill Account	10.00
	$89,105.54

REVENUE ACCOUNT 1940

Appropriations	$44,603.00	Poll Tax Commitment	$430.00
County Tax	4,064.97	Real and Personal Tax Commitment	37,702.53
State Tax	3,200.00	Estimated Receipts	15,675.01
Mosquito Control	451.93	Over Estimated State & County Tax	30.28
State Parks and Reservations	38.08	Unexpended Balances	2,898.37
Overlay 1940	1,479.84	Estimated Receipts	2,830.68
Transferred from Available Funds	2,300.00	Transferred from Available Funds	2,300.00
	$56,137.82	December Commitment	8.10
To Excess and Deficiency	5,737.15		
	$61,874.97		$61,874.97

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY

To Balance Chap. 90	$ .16	Balance	$7,092.76
Tax Titles	699.30	Tax Title Redemption	76.14
State & County Taxes	30.28	Disclaimers	42.96
	729.74		7,211.86
Excess and Deficiency	12,219.27	Revenue	5,737.15
	$12,949.01		$12,949.01

Office Supplies

Printing, Stationery and Postage	$181.28	Appropriation	$200.00
Rubbing Sticks	1.08		
Overhauling Calculator	10.00		

Typewriter Ribbon	1.00		
Box Rent	1.50		
	$194.86		
Balance to Revenue	5.14		
	$200.00		$200.00

Officers' Salaries and Expenses

Moderator	$25.00	Appropriation	$4,000.00
George Howard			
Constable	50.00		
Harvey T. Moore			
Road Surveyor	50.00		
Nathan A. Nickerson			
Secretary Finance			
Committee	50.00		
Charles F. Atwood			
	$175.00		
Selectmen's Salary			
Ralph A. Chase	$600.00		
E. D. Penniman	300.00		
M. W. Wiley	600.00		
Dues Selectmen's			
Association	6.00		
Expenses Meetings	37.50		
	$1,543.50		
Town Clerk, Treasurer			
and Collector's			
Salary	$1,500.00		
Accountant's Salary			
Jennie B. Sparrow	43.75		
L. Isabelle Brackett	306.25		

Accountant's Expense		
Car Fare	3.00	
Postage	.24	
		$353.24

Treasurer's Expense		
Auto Hire	31.80	
Typewriter Expense	20.00	
Envelope Moistener	3.00	
Printing, Stationery and Postage	11.77	
		$66.57

Collector's Expense		
Cash and Commitment Books	11.19	
Printing Tax Bills	15.88	
Use of Car	1.80	
Block Forms	2.15	
		$31.02

Town Clerk Expense		
Use of Car	$18.50	
Recordings, Adm. oath	48.20	
Dues for Town Clerk Association	2.00	
Printing, Stationery and Postage	7.19	
		$75.89

Election and Registration			
Election Officers:			
Esther Tibbals	$4.00		
C. L. Holbrook	4.00		
Abbott S. Knowles	18.00		
Arthur E. Brown	5.00		
Ella M. Fuller	9.00		
Norman Dixon	5.00		
Registrars:			
Ralph A. Chase	15.00		
E. D. Penniman	15.00		
M. W. Wiley	15.00		
Leslie E. Chase	10.00		
Harvey T. Moore			
Posting Warrants	6.00		
Attending Primaries	10.00		
Printing Ballots	13.75		
	$129.75		
Total Salaries and Expenses	$3,874.97		
Balance to Revenue	125.03		
	$4,000.00		$4,000.00

Surety on Bond

Treasurer	$27.97	Appropriation	$125.00
Collector	55.00		
Deputy Collector	10.00		
Town Clerk	5.00		
	$97.97		
Balance to Revenue	27.03		
	$125.00		$125.00

Assessors' Salaries and Expenses

Assessors' Salaries		Appropriation	$600.00
Ralph A. Chase	$5.00		
E. D. Penniman	250.00		
M. W. Wiley	245.00		
Car and Expenses			
Ralph A. Chase	1.50		
M. W. Wiley	13.00		
E. D. Penniman	8.00		
Dues for Assessors' Association	3.00		
Printing, Stationery and Postage Books	15.70		
Applications	3.94		
Forms	21.21		
Cards	21.65		
Incidental Supplies	4.91		
	$592.91		
Balance to Revenue	7.09		
	$600.00		$600.00

Assessors' Abstracts

Shirley B. Chase	$83.14	Appropriation	$75.00
		Tr. from Reserve	8.14
	$83.14		$83.14

Certification of Notes

Director of Accounts	$2.00	Appropriation	$10.00
Leslie E. Chase	2.00		
Leslie E. Chase	2.00		
Balance to Revenue	4.00		
	$10.00		$10.00

Legal Expenses

Millard Tibbetts	$15.00	Appropriation	$75.00
Gershom D. Hall	41.00		
Balance to Revenue	19.00		
	$75.00		$75.00

Janitor

George E. Hardwick	$648.00	Appropriation	$648.00

Town Hall

Fuel	$279.30	Appropriation	$550.00
Light	68.68	Tr. from Reserve	36.95
Labor, Material for Railing	37.41		
Labor Material for Town Hall Buildings	60.39		
Telephone	35.40		
Boiler Inspection	5.00		
Tuning Piano	5.00		
Wiring in Hall	9.90		
Painting and Repairs Band Stand	11.05		
Mowing	7.00		
Trucking	3.00		
Cleaning, Repairing Oil Burner	16.00		
Oil Stove—Gaskets, Cartridges	17.57		
Cord, Hose, File	5.29		
Glass	5.88		
Towels	3.74		
Plants	1.50		

Bulbs	1.80		
Oil Can	1.75		
Janitor's Supplies	11.29		
	$586.95		$586.95

Suppression of Crime

Walter Nickerson	$5.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Lester O'Neil	3.35		
Balance to Revenue	41.65		
	$50.00		$50.00

Town Fires

Labor at 3 fires	$41.80	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	8.20		
	$50.00		$50.00

Orleans Fire Department

Labor	$9.00	Appropriation	$150.00
Balance to Revenue	141.00		
	$150.00		$150.00

Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires

Adin L. Gill	$18.50	Appropriation	$20.00
Balance to Revenue	1.50		
	$20.00		$20.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Dies, Seal Press, Seals	$5.21	Appropriation	$50.00

Stanley M. Walker	40.00		
Balance to Revenue	4.79		
	$50.00		$50.00

Inspection of Wiring

R. S. Hopkins	$4.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Maurice L. Moore	28.00		
Balance to Revenue	18.00		
	$50.00		$50.00

Moth Suppression

Labor	$348.00	Appropriation	$560.00
Trucks	202.00		
Gas, Oil, Grease, etc.	10.00		
	$560.00		$560.00

Private Moth Suppression

Labor	$24.00	Appropriation	$40.00
Truck	16.00		
	$40.00		$40.00

Purchase of Power Sprayer

Sprayer	$661.00	Appropriation	$700.00
Balance to Revenue	39.00		
	$700.00		$700.00

Suppression Tent Caterpillars

Otto E. Nickerson	$15.00	Appropriation	$25.00
Balance to Revenue	10.00		
	$25.00		$25.00

Tree Warden

Removing Trees	$9.00	Appropriation	$20.00
Balance to Revenue	11.00		
	$20.00		$20.00

Bounty on Woodchucks

Paid Bounties	$40.00	Appropriation	$40.00

Shellfish Propagation

Seed Clams	$24.48	Appropriation	$200.00
Labor Broadcasting Clams	83.15		
Boat and Truck Hire for Clams	51.23		
Labor Boat Planting Scallops	10.12		
Labor on Winkles	29.00		
Sifter	1.00		
	$198.98		
Balance to Revenue	1.02		
	$200.00		$200.00

Shellfish Protection

Constable	$300.00	Appropriation	$350.00
Shellfish Signs	7.50		
Delivering Shellfish Sign Poles to Salt Pond	2.00		
Truck Labor putting up signs	3.00		

Labor Material in making signs	7.50		
Labor Winkles	17.00		
Labor on Scallops	3.88		
Rake, Nails, Tacks, Saws, etc.	7.12		
Shellfish Notice with Orleans	2.00		
	$350.00		$350.00

Health

Printing	$32.02	Appropriation	$400.00
Medical Care	133.90		
Dental Clinic	75.00		
Services:			
Ralph A. Chase	5.00		
E. D. Penniman	5.00		
M. W. Wiley	5.00		
B. of H. Meetings:			
Ralph A. Chase	18.00		
E. D. Penniman	16.00		
M. W. Wiley	20.00		
	309.92		
Bal. to Revenue	90.08		
	$400.00		$400.00

Town Dump

Superintendent	$227.50	Appropiration	$500.00
Painting signs & paint	7.35		
Locusts posts & carting	14.75		
Wire and staples	81.12		

Labor at dump	49.75		
Material for gate, etc.	22.42		
Burning	8.50		
	411.39		
Balance to Revenue	88.61		
	$500.00		$500.00

Inspection of Animals

Harry W. Collins	$25.00	Appropriation	$25.00

Dog Account

Walter F. Nickerson	$18.00	Appropriation	$20.00
Bal. to Revenue	2.00		
	$20.00		$20.00

Highways—General

Surveyor's Bills	$129.59	Appropriation	$250.00
Balance to Revenue	120.41		
	$250.00		$250.00

Highways—Chapter 81

Surveyor's bills	$9,675.00	Appropriation	$3,225.00
		State Allotment	6,450.00
	$9,675.00		$9,675.00

Highways—Chapter 90

Labor	$57.55	Appropriation	$150.00
Trucks	139.00	County Allotment	150.00

Asphalt	250.88	State Allotment	150.00
Sand, hardening	2.62		
	$450.00		$450.00

Acquire Land Town Way Nauset Light Rd. Northerly

Labor	$64.00	Appropriation	$400.00
Grader, Bulldozer	197.00		
Survey, records	103.72		
Postage, use of car	3.38		
	368.10		
Balance to 1941	31.90		
	$400.00		$400.00

Snow

Labor	$205.83	Appropriation	$300.00
Trucks	110.75	Tr. from reserve	44.68
Bolts casting for snow plow	20.15		
Express snow plow blades	3.20		
Repairing snow plow	4.75		
	$344.68		$344.68

Purchase Hydraulic Snow Plow Lift

Snow Plow	$95.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Installation	3.00		
Freight	.72		
	98.72		
Balance to revenue	1.28		
	$100.00		$100.00

Public Welfare

Adm. and Express Surplus commodities	$144.11	Appropriation	$1,500.00
Bags for commod.	19.70	Refund	15.25
Administration	21.00		
Groceries and Provisions	449.00		
Clothing	11.34		
Coal and Wood	61.23		
Medicine and Medical Care	284.68		
Rent	30.00		
Cash	20.00		
License	5.25		
Town of Barnstable	16.50		
	1,062.81		
Bal. to Revenue	452.44		
	$1,515.25		$1,515.25

Aid to Dependent Children

Aid	$1,488.25	Appropriation	$1,500.00
Adm.	11.00		
	1,499.25		
Balance to Revenue	.75		
	$1,500.00		$1,500.00

Aid to Dependent Children, U. S. Grants

Aid	$1,285.50	Bal. Jan. 1, 1940	$392.32
Balance to 1941	232.82	Grants	1,126.00
	$1,518.32		$1,518.32

Aid to Dependent Children, Adm. U. S. Grant

Balance to 1941	$1.50	Grants	$1.50

Old Age Assistance

Aid	$4,487.53	Appropriation	$4,500.00
Bal. to Revenue	12.47		
	$4,500.00		$4,500.00

Old Age Assistance, U. S. Grants

Aid	$4,629.50	Balance Jan. 1, 1940	$264.63
Balance to 1941	31.57	Grants	4,396.44
	$4,661.07		$4,661.07

Old Age Assistance, Adm., U. S. Grants

M. W. Wiley	$55.00	Bal. Jan. 1, 1940	$220.24
Printing, stationery and postage	29.14	Grants	146.37
Typing	2.00		
	86.14		
Bal. to 1941	280.47		
	$366.61		$366.61

Soldiers' Benefits

Cash	$80.00	Appropriation	$300.00
Balance to Revenue	220.00		
	$300.00		$300.00

W. P. A.

Adm.	$34.45	Appropriation	$1,000.00
Nursery School	441.65	Refund	5.00
Household Aid	48.00	Tr. from Reserve	25.34
Roads	197.00		
Research	91.26		
Moth	202.17		
Bags	3.80		
Assessors' Project	12.01		
	$1,030.34		$1,030.34

Schools

Bills	$16,615.67	Appropriation	$16,900.00
Balance to Revenue	284.33		
	$16,900.00		$16,900.00

See Superintendent's Report

Taking Land, New School

Tr. to Pay School-house Note	$500.00	Bal. Jan. 1, 1940	$584.53
Balance to 1941	84.53		
	$584.53		$584.53

Public Library

Librarian	$282.50	Appropriation	$100.00
Books	333.44	Income Billings Fund	420.00
Periodicals	12.00	Refunded dog tax	167.48
Fuel	66.48	Gift	100.00
Light	12.14		
Painting Flag Staff	5.00		
Repair on Top Mast	8.00		

Insurance	30.40		
Dues	1.00		
Attending Meetings	4.00		
Caneing Chair	3.25		
Cards	13.95		
Janitor's Supplies and Incidentals	11.11		
	783.27		
Balance to 1941	4.21		
	$787.48		$787.48

Tax Title Account

Recordings	$134.88	Appropriation	$300.00
Printing	31.00		
Use of car	3.00		
Fees for Tax Titles	9.75		
	178.63		
Balance to Revenue	121.37		
	$300.00		$300.00

Sale of Tax Title Property

Staking lots	$19.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	31.00		
	$50.00		$50.00

Town Landings

Labor and Lumber on Nauset Landing	$31.66	Appropriation	$100.00
Labor on Raft	18.50		

Lumber for Raft	13.28		
Barrels, Rubbish Can, etc.	10.14		
	73.58		
Balance to Revenue	26.42		
	$100.00		$100.00

Landing—Nauset Beach

Transferred to pay schoolhouse note	$200.00	Balance Jan. 1, 1940	$278.37
Buying Lot	50.00		
	250.00		
Balance to 1941	28.37		
	$278.37		$278.37

Landing—Cape Cod Bay

Balance to 1941	$113.07	Balance Jan. 1, 1941	$113.07

Free Band Concerts

Ralph A. Chase, Treas.	$150.00	Appropriation	$150.00

Memorial Day

Services of Band	$30.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Wreaths, flowers	10.00		
	40.00		
Balance to Revenue	60.00		
	$100.00		$100.00

Community Christmas Tree

George Howard, Treas.	$28.54	Appropriation	$35.00
Material for Bags	2.25		
	$30.79		
Balance to Revenue	4.21		
	35.00		$35.00

Free Bed—Cape Cod Hospital

Paid Cape Cod Hospital	$300.00	Appropriation	$300.00

Town Reports

F. B. & F. P. Goss	$250.00	Appropriation	$250.00

Insurance

Workmen's Compensation	$210.88	Appropriation	$500.00
		Refund	141.73
General Liability	270.00		
Burglary	117.50		
	598.38		
Balance to Revenue	43.35		
	$641.73		$641.73

Finance Committee

Dinners	$6.25	Appropriation	$10.00
Balance to Revenue	3.75		
	$10.00		$10.00

Old Mill

Bags and paper for Old Mill	$3.60	Appropriation	$100.00
Refinishing stone	87.00		
Mowing	7.00		
	97.60		
Bal. to revenue	2.40		
	$100.00		$100.00

Miscellaneous

Towing car	$2.00	Appropriation	$125.00
Land damage	5.00	Tr. from reserve	46.84
Bounty on seals	10.50		
Surveying and restaking R. R. Ave.	74.00		
Survey Horton's landing	26.00		
Advertising hearings	20.50		
Police duty	5.00		
Due Orleans on 1939 Shellfish account	28.33		
Express on sign	.51		
	$171.84		$171.84

Reserve Fund

Transfers:		Appropriation	$1,000.00
Snow	$44.68		
W.P.A.	25.34		
Town Hall	36.95		

Miscellaneous	46.84		
Assessors' Abstract	8.14		
	161.95		
Balance to revenue	838.05		
	$1,000.00		$1,000.00

Old Cemeteries

Labor	$107.50	Appropriation	$150.00
Trucks	40.50		
	148.00		
Bal. to Revenue	2.00		
	$150.00		$150.00

Interest

Temporary loans	$87.50	Appropriation	$375.00
Schoolhouse	270.00	Refund	12.50
	$357.50		
Balance to Revenue	30.00		
	$387.50		$387.50

Schoolhouse Note

Merchants National Bank	$2,000.00	Appropriation	$2,000.00

Temporary Loans

Cape Cod Trust Co.	$23,000.00	Loans	$23,000.00

Trust Accounts

Bal. Jan. 1, 1940	$43,577.23	Balances Dec. 31, 1940:	
Int. Cemetery Trusts	5.95	Cemetery Trust	$238.92
Int. W. W. Memorial	10.84	Town Hall Trust	2,434.00
Int. Old Wind Grist Mill	13.86	World War Memorial	442.44
Int. Christmas Tree	1.27	Old Wind Grist Mill	555.55
Int. Timothy Smith Fund	360.60	Christmas Tree Fund	73.58
Income Timothy Smith Fund	898.05	Timothy Smith Fund	18,176.14
Refund Old Wind Grist Mill	10.00	Billings Fund	14,000.00
		Expended from Cemetery Funds	6.25
		1940 Loans	520.00
		Previous Loans	8,210.87
		Gifts	200.00
		Expended from Old Wind Grist Mill Account	20.05
	$44,877.80		$44,877.80

Other Funds

Withdrawn labor and corn at Old Mill	$174.28	Balance Jan. 1, 1940	$141.20
Balance Dec. 31, 1940	107.69	Cash sale of meal	139.49
		Interest	1.28
	$281.97		$281.97
Balance	$107.69	Balances Dec. 31, 1940:	
Inc. Town Hall trust fund	49.62	Old Mill Operating Fund	$8.18
		Town Hall Income Fund	151.00

Int. Town Hall trust fund	1.87		
	$159.18		$159.18

Revenue Account

Cash	$8,008.25	Loan	$5,000.00
Real Estate Taxes 1939	3,186.34	Tailings	85.07
Personal Taxes 1939	122.52	Overlay 1936	496.90
Poll Taxes 1940	6.00	Overlay 1937	592.82
Real Estate Taxes 1940	8,740.59	Overlay 1939	572.41
Personal Taxes 1940	710.37	Overlay 1940	309.23
Excise 1939	4.00	Overlay Reserve	95.63
Excise 1940	47.17	M. V. Excise Tax Revenue	51.17
Moth 1939	1.25	Special Assessment Revenue	13.75
Moth 1940	12.50	Tax Title Revenue	4,706.83
Highways, Chap. 81	579.41	Departmental Revenue	678.35
State Aid	35.00	Aid Dep. Children Federal Grants	232.82
Temporary Aid	119.78	Old Age Assistance Federal Grants	31.57
Old Age Assistance	471.73	Aid Dep. Children Adm. Grants	1.50
Board of Health	51.84	Old Age Assistance Adm. Grants	280.47
Tax Titles	2,937.57	Schoolhouse Land	84.53
Tax Possessions	1,769.26	Landing, Nauset Beach	28.37
Overlay 1935	2.70	Landing, Cape Cod Bay	113.07
Overlay 1938	11.36		

	Sale of Real Estate Fund	1,185.00
	Acquire Land Nauset Light Road	31.90
	State and County Tax Overestimate 1940	2.77
	Public Library	4.21
		$14,598.37
	Excess and Deficiency	12,219.27
$26,817.64		$26,817.64

Respectfully submitted,

L. ISABELLE BRACKETT,

Town Accountant.

Report of Board of Public Welfare

This report is put in to give the people a little clearer view of the cost to the Town. Because the bills go out at different times of the year and all reimbursements are not received within the year and there is always a chance of a larger allowance or disallowance, a true account cannot be given.

Public Welfare

For itemized account see Town Accountant's Report.

Cash paid out	$1,062.81	from appropriation of $1,500.00	
	247.59	State reimbursement	15.25 Refund
	$815.22	Cost to Town	$1,515.25

Old Age Assistance

Jan. 1, 1940, No. of cases 26 Dec. 31, 1940, No. of cases 29

Expenditures

Cash Aid	$4,487.53	from Town appropriation of $4,500.00
Cash Aid	4,629.50	from U. S. Grants
Total Aid	$9,117.03	
	7,756.49	State and Federal Reimbursement
	$1,360.54	cost to Town

Aid to Dependent Children

Jan. 1, 1940, No. of cases 5 Dec. 31, 1940 No. of cases 4

Expenditures

Cash Aid	$1,499.25	from Town Appropriation of $1,500.00
	1,285.50	from U. S. Grants
	$2,784.75	
	2,159.46	State and Federal Reimbursement
	$625.29	Cost to Town

Surplus Commodities Received and Cost to the Town

Received	Pounds
Apples	4,600
Bacon	554
Pea Beans	900
Butter	562
Cabbage	1,925
Corn Meal	4,200
Cereal (Wheat)	1,300
Flour (Graham)	886
Flour (White)	6,805
Hams	427
Lard	1,909
Peaches (Dried)	495
Prunes	1,271
Pork (Salt)	480
Oranges	2,590
Potatoes	5,600
Grapefruit	1,440
Raisins	295
Rolled Oats	500

Cost	
Warehouse Supervision	
From Welfare Appropriation	$38.00
From W. P. A. Appropriation	9.00
From W. P. A. Appropriation Bags	6.35
From W. P. A. Appropriation Bags	5.75
From Welfare Appropriation, Trucking	106.02
Total cost to Town	$165.12

Rice	613
Tomatoes	913
Total weight	38,252
Evaporated Milk	144 Cans
Eggs	1,260 Doz.
Blankets	26

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE W. WILEY

RALPH A. CHASE

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN

Board of Public Welfare

Librarian's Report

1940

Number volumes catalogued	6,519
Number volumes bought	153
Number volumes presented	5
Number volumes borrowed	6,693
Number magazines borrowed	1,249
Total fines received, also for damaged books	$20.12

As usual many books were borrowed from the Division of Public Libraries, State House, both for borrowers and Eastham school. The opening of the library on Mondays, during the summer, has proved to be very useful, both for the townspeople and summer residents.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. BLANCHE A. KEEFE

Librarian

ADDED DURING THE YEAR

Valley of Thunder	Beach
Life is for the Living	Parrott
Lost Sunrise	Norris
Consultation Room	Loomis

Donn Fendler	Fendler
Down East Duchess	Blodgett
Son of the Sea	Bassett
Case of the Purjured Parrott	Gardner
Man the Devil Didn't Want	Wren
Man to Protect You	Greig
Make the Man Notice You	Greig
Head of the House	Hill (Lutz)
Sinfully Rich	Footner
Arabelle Arrives	Ruck
Sown Among Thorns	Dell
Happy Harvest	Farnol
Across the Years	Loring
And Then There Were None	Christie
Scattergood Baines Returns	Kelland
Rolling Bones	Gardner
General Besserling's Second Puzzle Box	Oppenheim
It was Left to Peter	Ruck
D. A. Draws A Circle	Gardner
Return to Love	Peggy Dorn
Criminal C. O. D.	P. Taylor
Song After Midnight	Miller
Dude	Brand
Clear Before 'Leven	Holton
Love's Lotus Flower	Wynne
No More Gas	Nordhoff and Hall
Code of the Northwest	White
I Must Ride Alone	Gregory
Gun Feud	Mann
House Part Murder	Poe, Jr.
Ghost Trails	Tuttle
Blind Loyalty	Pedler
Passport for A Girl	Borden
Sea-tower	Walpole

Best Poems of 1939	Moult
Secret of Dr. Kildare	Brand
Vanished Men	Marsh
Escape	Vance
Station Wagon Set	Baldwin
Cross Knife Ranch	Gooden
Case with Four Claws	Bruce
Wedding Day	Edington
Riders of Buck River	Raine
Prince Came Riding	Doran
Sweet for A Season	McCord
Rehearsal for Love	Baldwin
Dark Wing	Stringer
Sweet Grass	Bower
Lonely Road	Farnol
Case of the Baited Hook	Gardner
Blind Side	Wentworth
Lone Star Terror	Cole
Murder on Parade	Wells
Three Are Brothers	Lea
Car Belongs to Mother	Wright
Winter Murder Case	Van Dine
So Stands the Rock	Downes
Outlaws of Red Canyon	Snow
Make Way for Romance	Harris
Little Sinner	Ayers
North Side Nurse	Hancock
Their Own Country	Hobart
Priscilla Won't	Randall
Folly Island	Deeping
Rolling Stone	Wentworth
Stranger's Gate	Oppenheim
Round-Up Guns	Curry
Range Feud	Billings

Footprints on the Ceiling	Rawson
Case of the Deadly Dairy	DuBois
Morgan of the Mounted	White
Saddle and Ride	Haycox
Whispers	Adams
Paul Revere Square	Kent
Mulberry Bush	Miller
Seasoned Timber	Canfield
Chad Hanna	Emonds
John Deere, He Gave to the World the Steel Plow (gift)	Clark
This Fascinating Oil Business (gift)	Ball
Here's New England	Federal Project
How Green Was My Valley	Llewellyn
Rose Galbraith	Hill (Lutz)
Road to Glenfairlie	Garth
World Is Like That	Norris
From Off Island	Riggs
So You're Seeing New England	Laughlin
Stars Still Shine	Larrimore
Cottonwood Gulch (gift)	Mulford
Rustler's Valley (gift)	Mulford
Black Buttes (gift)	Mulford
New England Sampler	Early
Chalice	Doner
D. A. Goes to Trial	Gardner
There Is Always Love	Loring
101 Things for a Housewife to Do	Hort
Red Saint	Deeping
Little and Good	Ayres
Shotgun Gold	Tuttle
An Ocean Heritage	Bassett
Come Spring	Williams
Richard Halliburton	Told in Letters

Quietly My Captain Waits	Eaton
Star for Susan	Wees
Nurse	Logan
Great Red Border	Grinstead
Fielding's Folly	Keyes
Account Rendered	Wentworth
Eleanor Roosevelt	Black
Women Will Be Doctors	Lees
Gentleman of the Jungle	Gill
Honey Colored Moon	Wynne
As the Seed Is Sown	Parmenter
Doctor's Party	Doner
Riders of the Plains	Brand
Two-Gun Trail	Scott
All American Front	
Spirit of the Range	Bower
Blow All Ballast	Barrows
Guilty	Thayer
Glasseyes Mystery	Oppenheim
Nobody's Girl	Lea
Dude Woman	Kyne
Man on Horseback	Bower
Matter of Business	Franol
Shadows Tonight	Seifert
Meet the Warrens	Hancock
Road to the Stars	Millard
Unmarried Couple	Greig
Great Mistake	Rinehart
Trail's End	Raine
Home of Their Own	Wayne
Little Miss Independent	Rees
Partners	Hill (Lutz)
Friday the 13th	Farjeon
Black Plumes	Allingham

Five for Bridge	Ward
Back O' the Mountain	Flint
Dark Lightning	Miller
Ghost Plane	Stringer
Girl of the Crossroads	Gregory
Gypsey, Gyspey	Godden
Out of the Fog	Lincoln
Spider Web Trail	Cunningham
When to Whippoorwill	Rawlings
Money Isn't Everything	Ruck
Sad Cypress	Christie
Station Wagon Murder	Propper
Murder Plus	Wells
Watch Below	McFee
Until the Shearing	Downes
Such is the Kingdom	Sugrue
Secret of the Marshbanks	Norris
Pedler of Dreams	Dern

Juvenile

Captain of the Eleven	Sherman
Air Monster	Green
Wizard of Oz	Baum
Border Girl	Fox
Round the Mulberry Bush	Alessios
Knights of the Snowstorm	Orton
Sue Barton, Rural Nurse	Boylston
Story of Air-craft	Fraser
Marcia's Farmhouse	Widdemer
Penny Marsh	Deming
Along the Coast	Colmont
Skycruiser	Brier
Little Ugly Face	Coolidge
Mystery of the Missing Car	Chapman
Five Bushel Farm	Coatsworth

Hoot-Owl	LaRue
Real Boys and Girls Go Birding	Coevering
Mystery of the Broken Key	Chapman
All About David	Boyd
One String Fiddle	Berry
What Do You Want To Be?	Waltz
Mill Creek Mystery	Chapman
Clo	Abbott
Kit and Kat	Perkins
Polly Patchwork	Field
Tim Tadpole and the Great Bull Frog	Flackk
Secret of the Rosewood Box	Orton
Mystery of Marjory	Blake
Cinchfoot	Hinkle
Buckskin	Hinkle
Coco the Goat	Wells
One Little Indian Boy	Brock
Curios Affair at Heron Shoals	Seaman

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND THE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

OF THE

Town of Eastham

FOR THE YEAR

1940

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Stanley M. Walker, Chairman	Term expires 1943
G. Austin Smith	Term expires 1941
Mrs. Maurice A. Moore	Term expires 1942

UNION SUPERINTENDENT

Charles H. Pratt

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Walter Nickerson

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. A. P. Goff

SCHOOL NURSE

Miss Mary E. Morris

EASTHAM FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	Expended in 1940		Needed in 1941
General Control:			
School Committee	$200.00		
Superintendent of Schools,			
Enforcement of Law—			
Salaries and Travel	595.42		
Other Expenses	9.40		
		$804.82	$826.00
Instruction:			
Supervisors	782.00		
Principal and Teachers	4,616.12		
Textbooks	66.51		
Supplies	204.93		
		5,669.56	5,779.00
Operation:			
Janitors	600.00		
Fuel	561.30		
*Miscellaneous	160.87		
		1,322.17	1,250.00
Maintenance:			
Repairs, Replacement and Upkeep	282.52	282.52	240.00

Auxiliary Agencies:			
School Library	48.66		
Health	159.68		
Transportation	3,300.00		
Tuition	4,814.12		
**Miscellaneous	214.14		
		8,536.60	8,805.00
Outlay:			
New Equipment	———		———
Total		$16,615.67	$16,900.00

*Miscellaneous Operation Expenses: These include such things as light, power, bulbs, towels, cleaning material, janitor's supplies, etc.

**Miscellaneous Auxiliary Agencies: Insurance, graduation expenses, telephone, sports, etc.

Appropriated for 1940	$16,900.00
Expended in 1940	16,615.67
Balance Unexpended	$284.33

NET COST OF SCHOOLS, YEAR 1940

Total Expenditures			$16,615.67
Due on Account of School Expenditures:			
Mass. General School Fund Part I		$645.00	
City of Boston Tuition	$278.84		
City of Boston Transportation	116.82		
		395.66	
Mass. Reimbursement for High School Transportation		1,980.00	
Mass. Reimbursement on account of Employment of Supt. of Schools		220.31	
Receipts from toll calls		1.10	
			3,242.07
Net cost			$13,373.60

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Eastham:

Herewith I submit the School Report for the Year 1940.

Reference to the Tabular Statement of Membership by Grades elsewhere in this report shows a further decrease in numbers attending the Eastham school this fall. We should remember, however, that there were forty-two attending the Orleans High School from Eastham on October first this year as compared with thirty-seven a year ago. The very creditable record which they are making speaks well for the foundation laid while in Eastham. Mr. Nickerson has called my attention to the fact that eight of the twelve freshman students from Eastham made the October honor roll or received honorable mention at Orleans High School.

I have previously expressed most hearty endorsement of the Eastham faculty and the work they are doing. In this respect I can simply say that the past year has shown a continuance of the record. This winter all three teachers are taking a course in Elementary School Methods at the Hyannis State Teachers College. One hundred per cent is an unusual enrollment in professional improvement. Miss Verrill also spent her last summer vacation at Gorham carrying out a plan which she has been following for a series of years.

The condition of books and supplies is maintained in excellent shape and show careful conservation. The new read-

ing system which was introduced three or four years ago has been kept up to date. Recent new materials and methods in line with the latest study of reading have been incorporated. New texts in the subjects of health and music were purchased this fall.

Music, art, club and assembly periods have continued to occupy a prominent place among school activities. The assembly room gives an excellent opportunity to practice public speaking and dramatics.

During the early fall we were all saddened by the sudden passing of Miss Bessie I. Armstrong who had acted as school nurse for so many years. Her duties were assumed by Miss Mary E. Morris who does both town and school nursing. She is giving complete service as approved by the State Department of Public Health. Emphasis is placed on the educational phases of the work as well as the curative work. Miss Morris submits the following report:

"The primary aim of every public health nurse in a school nursing service is to help in securing maximum health for every school child through his own intelligent cooperation and that of all others who influence his environment. The environment in this school-age group is the school in which the child spends a large part of his day. The nurse thus serves as a connecting link between the home, the school and the community, and can utilize the interest of all groups to help in the promotion of the health of the child.

To this end advisory conferences have been held with the pupils, teachers, and parents. Effort has been made to have parents present at the annual physical examination conducted by Dr. A. P. Goff as a means for giving individual health instruction to parent and child both at the time of the

inventory and later and to emphasize the need for a thorough annual health examination by the family physician.

A complete dental health program has been carried on. The teachers are integrating dental health in their teaching with the following objectives:

1. To teach the children the structure and use of their teeth.

2. To develop the proper attitude in knowledge and habits necessary for the protection of their teeth.

3. To create a friendly attitude toward the dentist and desire to obtain the best individual improvement possible.

Pre-school and infant nursing supervision has been carried out through home visits and through group and individual instructions at Well Child Conference. The primary aim of this program is to help parents lay a good foundation for future health. New problems of adjustment to family life and to experience outside the home are met in this age group. The nurse, therefore, to make her teaching effective interprets the principles of child psychology and child training.

An effort will be made to continue the splendid work carried on by the late Miss Armstrong for so many years.

The community has participated in every possible way. The interest shown by the Board of Health, Selectmen, School Board and Health Council has been greatly appreciated. The Health Council continues to function by assisting at the various health activities and holding of their monthly meetings.

Thanks are extended to all who helped to make the health program possible by their kind cooperation."

STATISTICAL REPORT

Pre-school Hygiene Service	
Admitted to nursing service	38
Field nursing visits	239
Infant Hygiene Service	
Admitted to nursing service	9
Field nursing visits	49
Maternal Hygiene Service	
Admitted to ante partum service	3
Field visits to ante partum service	15
Admitted to post partum nursing service	3
Field visits to post partum service	10
School Health	
Admitted to nursing service	12
Field school visits	9
Examinations by Dr. A. P. Goff	68
Children accompanied by parent	16
Inspections by nurse	120
Health talks	8
Inspections by Dr. Ralph Kenney	60
No. of dental operations	145
No. of fillings	85
No. of extractions	22
No. of prophlaxis	38
Tuberculosis	
Admitted to nursing service	7
Field nursing visits	15
Crippled Children's Service	
Admitted to nursing service	3

In making a report on the work in art Mr. Brayton makes the following statement with respect to method:

"In this method we do not dictate or copy, but rather discuss a given subject and allow the child to create his picture in his own way with guidance enough to enable him to cross over the rough spots.

Creative illustration teaches the child to think, not to copy. In our educational system today there is great need to develop the child's mind so that he may plan and work out problems for himself.

In the first six grades we draw subjects of everyday life, subjects that are close to the child such as holidays, playtime, indoor and outdoor activities.

The general background of design is started in the grades with the use of shapes and the three laws of order, repetition, alteration and progression.

In the Junior High School grades a great deal of stress is laid upon design and color theory. Before the beginning of high school drawing the child must have a good understanding of color and its use in art and in everyday life.

In each of the four towns we had at least one exhibition. All grades have been represented in exhibitions and as many children as possible saw some of their work displayed."

Those who have attended the assembly programs and the public entertainments must have noted the prominence of music on such occasions. Miss Kelman is doing excellent work as shown by results. She outlines her objectives rather carefully as follows:

"In all our grades we strive to cultivate a deep and lasting love for music. This is attained through singing many beautiful songs, through listening to music, and participation in rhythm activity. In the first grade the children may learn as many as 100 rote songs throughout the school year. These songs pertain to everyday experiences in the home, school and community, special occasions and seasons. Listening and rhythm are tied together. The children listen to a march, then act it out. Emphasis is laid, also, upon recognition of songs. Individual attention is given to all so-called monotones. In nearly every case the child can sooner or later be taught to use his voice correctly.

This same program extends into the second grade with the addition of some note-reading. This is carried further in the third grade. Simple rudimentary notation such as finding "do" with sharps and flats, time value of notes, and clapping the rhythm are also begun in the third grade. In the fourth grade not only the meaning of key signatures but the meaning of time signatures is understood. By this time, the pupils are able to read notes by themselves with accuracy. Harmony is first experienced here through the singing of rounds and two-part songs—the teacher singing the alto.

In the fifth and sixth grades the technique of musical notation gradually becomes more advanced. Expression marks are studied, also the names of various keys and how to find them. The children themselves sing alto and soprano in the fifth grade. In the sixth grade three-part music is sung with great interest. To bridge the gap between the seventh and sixth grades the reading of syllables is replaced by sight-reading the words. This tends to stimulate interest.

Every four or five weeks throughout the year in these six grades the children have the pleasure of listening to rec-

ords on the victrola. Some of these records suggest a rhythm activity and others are played for the sheer joy of the listener.

Many extra songs are learned especially for assembly programs in the first six grades.

The seventh and eighth grades have been very fortunate this year since they have a new set of books. They are Highways and Byways, written especially for adolescent boys and girls. Appreciation, beauty, humor, dignity are all cleverly combined to make this book already a favorite with these two grades and a great joy to the teacher. The bass part is introduced in the eighth grade as voices are found to carry it. Two parts are nicely sung in both seventh and eighth grades and the repertoire of memory songs is enlarged."

Instrumental music from most elementary beginning on through to orchestra, band and adult music contacts continues to be an opportunity for all the children of Eastham. Mr. and Mrs. Nassi continue to devote to this work one-half day during each school week and frequent evenings and afternoons as long as their services can be profitable.

From his intimate contact and wide experience he has this to say:

"Eastham has the distinction of having one of the finest grammar school orchestras. The string section is especially good. Mr. Nickerson is giving the young players every opportunity to play in public. Mrs. Horton is doing a great deal to help her pupils select an instrument and encourages them in every way possible. The Eastham school is fortunate in having so many instruments belonging to the school so

that pupils that are unable to buy an instrument may use those belonging to the school. Miss Verrill is doing very good work with the bugle and drum corps. Every child in her grades is taking up either the drum or bugle and through the medium of these instruments they are obtaining a foundation in music.

The Eastham instrumental classes are as follows:

Drum and Bugle Corps	16
Beginners on other instruments	6
Band	14
Orchestra	25

Changes of law have increased the duties of the Supervisor of Attendance. He now issues work permits and newsboys' badges. As Supervisor of Attendance he should be concerned with all factors which influence school attendance. He should work in close cooperation with the department of health, the home, the school and, if need be, with the department of welfare. His purpose is to help remove all obstacles which tend to prevent a pupil from enjoying a fair chance at school. The term "truant officer" suggested punitive measures as predominant in his duty. The Supervisor of Attendance may and should administer justice if necessary but his is particularly the role of the children's "friend in court."

Thanks are due to the Community Service Committee of the Grange for the gift of swings installed on the school playground. The efforts of those who are giving their time to 4-H Club work in the school is also appreciated.

The year 1940 has been reasonably happy and prosper-

ous for the school and its pupils. This is a broad statement which could not be made without generous support and co-operation of many people. This cooperation I am happy to acknowledge. It is my earnest hope that peace and confidence may continue during 1941.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. PRATT

Superintendent of Schools

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

October 1, 1940

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
1	3	6	9
2	6	1	7
3	2	5	7
4	4	7	11
5	4	4	8
6	6	2	8
7	5	4	9
8	7	3	10
Total	37	32	69

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP BY GRADES, 1930 - 1940

October 1, 1940

Grade	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940
1	16	12	9	12	11	8	14	9	9	12	9
2	13	17	15	8	12	17	8	14	13	10	7
3	14	17	14	16	10	10	14	9	13	9	7
4	9	14	16	17	14	15	11	10	7	11	11
5	7	11	14	12	17	11	13	10	12	8	8
6	7	12	12	14	14	14	15	14	11	9	8
7	12	6	6	11	11	11	11	9	15	10	9
8	10	12	8	7	10	11	11	10	6	14	10
	88	101	94	97	99	97	97	85	86	83	69

EASTHAM STUDENTS WHO ATTENDED ORLEANS HIGH SCHOOL

During the Period Sept. 9, 1940 to Dec. 20, 1940

Name	Grade
Brewer, Carol	12
Brewer, Robert	12
Clark, Phyllis	12
Daley, Dorcas	12
Gill, Merton	12
Hayes, Julian	12
Munier, Alice	12
Scrivens, Robert	12
Sibley, Barbara	12
Watson, Robert	12
Watson, William	12
Sturdevant, Marjorie	12
Acorn, Charles	11
Arnold, Madeline	11
Brackett, Phyllis	11
Benner, Louie	11
Gunn, Charlotte	11
Mayo, Kenneth	11
Nickerson, Jocelyn	11
Pearson, Eleanor	11
Turner, Beatrice	11
Wilson, Edith	11
Brewer, Howard	10

Brewer, Richard	10
Daley, Marston	10
Deschamps, Phillip	10
Hoffman, Robert	10
Hopkins, Barbara	10
Nickerson, Nathan	10
Atwood, Charles	9
Clark, Arthur	9
Eldredge, Luther	9
Eldredge, Walter	9
Escobar, Antone	9
Hayes, Robert	9
Hopkins, Wendell	9
Hurd, Prince	9
Wiley, Russell	9
Escobar, Mary	9
Fulcher, Ruth	9
Moore, Carolyn	9
Walker, Winifred	9

EASTHAM SCHOOL CENSUS

October 1, 1940

	Boys	Girls
Five years or over and under 7	8	8
Seven years or over and under 16	45	35
	53	43

Distribution of Above Minors

In public day school membership:	
Five years or over and under 7	9
Seven years or over and under 16	79
In State and County Institutions:	
Seven years or over and under 16	1
Not enrolled in any day school:	
Five years or over and under 7	7
	96

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Arthur Clark
Mary Escobar
Barbara Reimers
Norman Reimers

FAITHFUL ATTENDANCE

Absent not more than three days

Norma Acorn
Muriel Brewer
Robert Cross
Luther Eldredge
Antone Escobar
Manuel Escobar
Wendell Hopkins
David Johnson
Carolyn Moore
Loretta Munier
Martin Reimers
Lucy Tibbals

EASTHAM SCHOOL CALENDAR

Year 1940 - 1941

September 9 to December 20	15 weeks
December 30 to February 21	8 weeks
March 3 to April 11	6 weeks
April 21 to June 13	8 weeks

Days when school will not be in session:

October 12	Columbus Day (Saturday)
October 18	Teachers Institute (Friday)
November 11	Armistice Day (Monday)
November 28-29	Thanksgiving Recess
December 21-29	Christmas Recess
January 1, 1941	New Year's Day (Wednesday)
February 22	Washington's Birthday (Saturday)
Feb. 22 to March 2	Winter Recess
April 12 to 20	Spring Recess
May 30	Memorial Day (Friday)

Graduation exercises for the Class of 1941 will be held on Friday, June 13 at 7:30 P.M.

The school year of 1941-1942 begins Monday, Sept. 8, 1941

CORPS OF TEACHERS, JANUARY, 1940

Name	School	Preparation	Year Appointed	Experience Prior Sept. 1940	Salary	Home Address
Otto E. Nickerson	Grammar	Hyannis Normal	1924	21 years	$1,700	Orleans
Virginia F. Horton	Intermediate	Bridgewater Normal	1925	17 years	1,450	Eastham
Marguerite E. Verrill	Primary	Gorham Normal	1938	15 years	1,450	Gray, Maine
Iris Kelman	Vocal Music	Tufts College	1938	2 years	150	Stoneham
Thomas Nassi	Inst. Music	N. E. Conservatory	1929	12 years	500	Orleans
Clarence K. Brayton	Art	Mass. School of Art	1939	1 year	150	Harwich

CLASS OF 1940

Graduation Exercises were held at the Eastham School,
June 12, 1940

Charles Foster Atwood, Jr.
Arthur Adams Clark, Jr.
Luther Marston Eldredge
Walter Carleton Eldredge, Jr.
Antone Perry Escobar, Jr.
Mary Perry Escobar
Ruth Evelyn Fulcher
Robert Warren Hayes
Wendell Rich Hopkins
Prince Harding Hurd, Jr.
Carolyn Moore
Winifred Walker
Russell Clark Wiley

Scholarship Honors

Prince Harding Hurd, Jr.

Robert Warren Hayes

Luther Marston Eldredge

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Including Recommendations of the Finance Committee—February 3 - 4, 1941

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County aforesaid: Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in Eastham, Monday the third day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the articles in this Warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall, Eastham, Tuesday the fourth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Article 1. To act upon the annual report including recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees.

EASTHAM FINANCE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1941 BUDGET

Salaries:	
Moderator	$ 25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	900.00
Board of Welfare	600.00
Assessors'	500.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector	1,500.00
Accountant	350.00
Expenses:	
Selectmen and Assessors'	300.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer and Collector	300.00
Officers' Traveling	150.00
Election Department	100.00
Surety on Bond	100.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00
Legal Expense	75.00
Janitor	648.00
Town Hall	600.00
Suppression of Crime	25.00
Town Fires	50.00
Orleans Fire Department	150.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	20.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	50.00
Inspection of Wiring	50.00
Moth Suppression	560.00
Private Moth	100.00
Tree Warden	70.00
Health	400.00
Inspection of Animals	25.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	400.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	1,200.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,200.00
Old Age Assistance	5,000.00
Soldiers' Benefits	250.00
Schools	16,900.00
Tax Title Account	300.00
Town Landings	100.00
Memorial Day	100.00

Community Christmas Tree	35.00
Town Reports	250.00
Finance Committee	10.00
Insurance	300.00
Old Mill	100.00
Miscellaneous	125.00
Reserve Fund	1,000.00
Old Cemeteries	150.00
Interest	325.00
School House Note	1,000.00
Town Dump	400.00
	$37,378.00

Article 2. To see if the Town will elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Unanimously recommended that the dog tax be made available for use of the Public Library.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, providing the State makes a satisfactory allotment, for repair and maintenance of Town Ways under Chapter 81, Sections 26-29, General Laws as amended.

Unanimously recommended an appropriation of $3,225.

Article 5. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1941, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 17, General Laws.

Unanimously recommended to so authorize.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1941, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for less than one year in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 6A, General Laws.

Unanimously recommended to so authorize.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Unanimously recommended an appropriation of $150.00.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter III, Section 74, General Laws, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Unanimously recommended an appropriation of $300.00.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for free band concerts to be given by the Junior Community Band during the ensuing year, or do or act anything thereon.

Unanimously recommended an appropriation of $150.00.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of shellfish, or do or act anything thereon.

Unanimously recommended $300.00 for propagation and $350.000 for protection.

Article 11. To see what sum of money shall be taken from available funds toward defraying the tax levy for 1941.

No recommendation.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the local W.P.A., or any succeeding government agency of a like nature, for the purchase of material and other expenses.

Voted to recommend an appropriation of $700.00.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Sec. 48, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Recommended to so instruct.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Sec. 57, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Recommended to so instruct.

Article 15. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Sec. 55, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Recommended to so invest.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for the suppression of tent caterpillars under the direction of the local 4-H Club leaders, or do or act anything thereon.

No appropriation recommended.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of installing a sink with necessary drainage, and a radiator for heating, both to be installed in the south basement room in the Eastham school, or do or act anything thereon. (By request).

No recommendation.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or do or act anything thereon.

Unanimously recommended to so instruct.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Law establishing a Finance Committee by inserting the words: "No member of said Finance Committee shall succeed himself." (By request).

No recommendation.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or do or act anything thereon.

Unanimously recommended to so authorize and to appropriate the sum of $50.00 for enabling purposes.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money under the provisions of Chapter 90, General Laws, same to be used for the construction of a bridge or dyke at Boat Meadow, and that the Selectmen be authorized to enter into any contracts necessary.

Recommendations will be given at Town Meeting.

Article 22. To see what action the Town will take regarding the erosion of the beach at the West Shore.

Committee of three appointed to investigate and report at Town Meeting.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of twenty-five cents (25 cents) each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of $40.00 for this purpose.

Unanimously recommended an appropriation of $40.00.

Article 24. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to lay-out, relocate and define the boundaries of School House Road, so called, and appropriate the sum of $175.00 for same.

Unanimously recommended an appropriation of $175.00.

Article 25. To see what action the Town will take in acquiring Town Landings.

Voted to recommend that the Selectmen bring in a report at Town Meeting.

Article 26. To see what action the Town will take relative to building regulations.

Recommended that a committee be appointed to study the matter.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, at the Post Office in North Eastham and at the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said Meeting as aforesaid. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said Meeting.

Given under our hands this 17th day of January in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-one.

RALPH A. CHASE

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN

MAURICE W. WILEY

Selectmen of Eastham

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Moderator

George Howard

Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, Board of Assessors and Board of Health

Ralph A. Chase	Term expires 1944
Edward D. Penniman	Term expires 1942
Maurice W. Wiley	Term expires 1943

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector

Leslie E. Chase

Highway Surveyor

Nathan A. Nickerson

Registrars of Voters

Ralph A. Chase	Maurice W. Wiley
Edward D. Penniman	Leslie E. Chase

Trustees of the Public Library

Otto E. Nickerson	Term expires 1943
Mrs. Charles A. Gunn	Term expires 1944
Mrs. Sadie Flint	Office vacated

Constables

Harvey T. Moore
Charles F. Atwood (Designated Shellfish Constable)

Tree Warden

Ernest M. Moore

Town Accountant

L. Isabelle Brackett

Weigher of Coal

Samuel H. Brackett

Inspector of Cattle and Slaughtering

Harry W. Collins

Pound Keeper

William B. Steele

Field Drivers

Obed A. Fulcher Adin L. Gill Arthur E. Brown

Custodian of Town Dump

Charles P. Escubar

Fish Wardens

Ommund H. Howes Joseph W. Ryder Norman Dixon

Forest Fire Warden

William H. Forrest

Burial Agent

Herbert D. Nickerson

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Stanley M. Walker

Chief of Police

Ralph A. Chase

Special Police

George E. Hardwick
Albion F. Rich, Jr.
Winfred J. Knowles
Charles S. Whiting
Walter F. Nickerson
Alfred O. Stowell
Leslie E. Chase
Herman A. Dill
Carlton F. Mayo

Milk and Sanitary Inspector

George F. Crocker

Assistant Milk and Sanitary Inspector

Alton Robbins

Supervisor of Old Cemeteries and Soldiers' and Sailors' Lots

Fred F. Dill

Inspectors of Wires

Maurice A. Moore
Reuben S. Hopkins

Finance Committee

Charles F. Atwood, Chairman and Secretary	Term expires 1942
Herbert D. Nickerson	Term expires 1942
Maurice A. Moore	Term expires 1942
Carl C. French	Term expires 1944
Charles A. Gunn	Term expires 1944
Richard H. Whitford	Term expires 1944
Abbott H. Walker	Term expires 1943
Harvey T. Moore	Term expires 1943
Lewis W. Collins	Term expires 1943

List of Jurors

Charles A. Acorn
Charles W. Whelpley
Charles L. Holbrook
Lloyd A. Mayo
Harry W. Collins
Oscar G. Pierce
Maurice W. Wiley

Assessors' Report

VALUATION OF TOWN JANUARY 1, 1941

Real Estate, Land	$412,270.00
Real Estate, Buildings	894,870.00
Personal Estate	1,137,650.00
Real Estate (Dec. Assessment)	1,444,790.00
Total Valuation	1,770.00
	$1,446,560.00

TAXES ASSESSED JANUARY 1, 1941

Levied on Real Estate	$33,332.07
Levied on Personal Estate	3,510.08
Levied on Polls	436.00
Gain on fractional adjustment	.17
December Assessment	45.14
Moth Assessment	30.00
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,758.47
Rate of Taxation	25.50
Number of Polls Assessed	218
Number of Dwellings Assessed	557
Number of Horses Assessed	4
Number of Cows Assessed	313
Number of neat cattle other than cows assessed	3
Number of Swine Assessed	2
Number of Fowl Assessed	1,185
Acres of Land Assessed	7,323
Raised for town purposes	27,007.59
Raised for State Tax	3,630.00

Raised for County Tax	4,595.18
Raised for Mosquito Control	480.15
State Parks	44.58

Respectfully submitted

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN

RALPH A. CHASE

MAURICE W. WILEY

Board of Assessors

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—EASTHAM 1941 RECAPITULATION

		Figures Used In Fixing Tax Rate G. L., Chap. 59,
A. CITY OR TOWN: Include All Appropriations Voted Since 1939 Tax Rate Was Fixed		
1. Total appropriations as certified by city or town clerk to be raised by taxation, Chap. 41, § 15A		§ 23, 25 $45,043.00
2. Deficits due to abatements in excess of overlay of prior years: Of Year Amount		
(a) 1935 $ 6.65		
(b) 1938 $32.96		39.61
B. STATE: Tax and Assessments:	1941 Estimates	
1. State Tax	$3,630.00	
2. State Parks and Reservations	44.58	
3. Cape Cod Mosquito Control (Barnstable County only)	480.15	
4. State Audit of Municipal Accounts	5.94	
		4,160.67
C. COUNTY: Tax and Assessments:		
1. County Tax	$4,595.18	4,595.18
D. OVERLAY of Current Year		1,524.88
E.	**Gross Amount To Be Raised**	$55,363.34
F. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS		
1. Income Tax	$3,993.85	
2. Gasoline Tax (Acts of 1939, Chapters 232 and 504)	4,018.87	
3. Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	1,700.00	
4. Licenses	400.00	
5. Fines	20.00	
6. Special Assessments (Moth)	40.00	
7. General Government	80.00	
8. Charities (other than federal grants for aid to dependent children)	1,200.00	
9. Old Age Assistance (other than federal grants)	3,100.00	
10. Soldiers' Benefits	120.00	

11. Schools—State and Boston	2,597.07	
12. Interest: On Taxes and Assessments	400.00	
13. Veterans' Exemptions	36.15	
14. Inspection of Animals	12.50	
15. Sealer of Weights and Measures	15.38	
16. Corporations Taxes	341.07	
17. Reimbursement of Acc't of State Owned Land	7.36	
Total Estimated Receipts	$18,082.25	
18. Overestimates of previous year to be used as available funds:		
(a) 1939 State Parks	2.77	
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds		18,085.02
G. Net Amount To Be Raised by Taxation on Polls and Property		$37,278.32
H. Number of Polls, 215, at $2.00 each Poll Tax	436.00	
J. Total Valuation: Personal Property $1,370,650 (Tax Rate $25.50) Personal Property Tax	3,510.08	
Real Estate $1,307,140.00 (Tax Rate Gain on Fractional adjustment)	33,332.07	
K. Gain on account of fractional divisions of tax rate	.17	
L. TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON POLLS AND PROPERTY		37,278.32
M. Items not entering in to the determination of the Tax Rate		
1. Betterment and special assessments:		
(a) Private Moth	$40.00	
N. Total of All Other Commitments		$40.00
O. Total Amount of All Taxes on Polls and Property and Assessments Committed to the Collector to Date of Fixing Tax Rate		$37,318.32

Treasurer's Report

Receipts

Jan. 1, 1941, balance in treasury	$8,008.25
Receipts to December 31, 1941	105,600.29
	$113,608.54

Payments

Payments Warrants No. 1 to 42 inclusive	$94,523.47
December 31, 1941 on deposit	18,766.76
December 31, 1941 cash and checks on hand	318.31
	$113,608.54

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Treasurer

Report of Custodian of Trust Funds

MUNICIPAL TRUST FUNDS

Timothy Smith Fund

Receipts

January 1, 1941, on deposit	$18,176.14
Loans prior to 1941	8,695.32
Income April	442.88
Income October	395.42
Interest Wellfleet Savings Bank	184.98
Interest Cape Cod Trust Co.	165.42
Loans repaid	55.55
Interest on loans	104.45
Dorothy Sibley loan returned	200.00
	$28,420.16

Payments

December 31, 1941, on deposit	$18,949.84
Loans prior to 1941	8,695.32
Loans 1941	600.00
Public Library	100.00
Gift Clause	75.00
	$28,420.16

BILLINGS LIBRARY FUND

January 1, 1941, In Trust	$14,000.00
Income January	210.00
Income July	210.00
	$14,420.00
Deposited in Town Funds for Support of Library	420.00
December 31, 1941, In Trust	14,000.00
	$14,420.00

TOWN HALL TRUST FUND

January 1, 1941 on deposit	$151.00
Interest to October 1941	3.68
November 3, 1941 deposit	36.38
	$191.06

No withdrawals from this account in 1941

OLD WIND GRIST MILL FUND

January 1, 1941 on deposit	$555.55
January Dividend	6.81
July Dividend	7.02
	$569.38
October 31, 1941 withdrawn for care of Old Mill	$69.38
December 31, 1941 balance on deposit	500.00
	$569.38

OLD WIND GRIST MILL OPERATING FUND

January 1, 1941 on deposit	$8.18
Dividends to October 1941	.20
December 31, 1941	37.43
	$45.81

No withdrawals from this account in 1941

EASTHAM WORLD WAR MEMORIAL FUND

January 1, 1941 on deposit	$442.44
January Dividend	5.52
July Dividend	5.59
	$453.55

No withdrawals from this account in 1941

EASTHAM COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE FUND

January 1, 1941 on deposit	$73.58
January 1, 1941 interest	.55
December 1, 1941 interest	.56
	$74.69

No withdrawals from this account in 1941

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS—PERPETUAL CARE

Zara Higgins Cemetery Fund

January 1, 1941 on deposit	$138.30
January Dividend	1.72
July Dividend	1.75
	$141.77
November 15, 1941 Care of Cemetery Lot	$12.00
December 31, 1941 balance on deposit	129.77
	$141.77

Frank O. Daniels Cemetery Fund

January 1, 1941 on deposit	$50.00
January Dividend	.62
July Dividend	.62
	$51.24
November 15, 1941 Care of Cemetery Lot	$1.24
December 31, 1941 balance on deposit	50.00
	$51.24

Mercy A. Mines Cemetery Fund

January 1, 1941 on deposit	$50.62
January Dividend	.62
July Dividend	.64
	$51.88

No withdrawals from this account in 1941

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Custodian.

Report of Collector of Taxes

Dr.

Balance due Taxes of 1939, Personal	$122.52
Balance due Taxes of 1939, Real Estate	3,186.34
Balance due Taxes of 1940, Personal	710.37
Balance due Taxes of 1940, Real Estate	8,740.59
Balance due Moth Taxes of 1939	1.25
Balance due Moth Taxes of 1940	12.50
Balance due Poll Taxes of 1940	6.00
Warrants Taxes of 1941, Personal	3,510.11
Warrants Taxes of 1941, Real Estate	33,377.35
Warrants Taxes of 1941, Moth	40.00
Warrants Taxes of 1941, Poll	436.00
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1939, Real Estate	.07
Moth Reported as Taxes 1940, Real Estate	1.25
Moth Reported as Taxes 1941, Real Estate	3.00
Abatement after payment 1940, Poll Taxes	2.00
Abatement after payment 1941, Poll Taxes	4.00
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1935, Taxes	4.05
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1936, Taxes	18.00
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1937, Taxes	11.70
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1938, Taxes	21.60
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1939, Taxes	21.60
Disclaimed Tax Titles of 1940, Taxes	17.55
	$50,249.13

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Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1939, Personal	$101.46
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1939, Real Estate	2,793.56
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1940, Personal	684.18
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1940, Real Estate	6,281.98
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1941, Personal	3,249.03
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1941, Real Estate	26,584.61

Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1941, Poll	382.00
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1939, Moth	1.25
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1940, Moth	5.00
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1941, Moth	25.50
Abatement Taxes of 1935, Real	4.05
Abatement Taxes of 1936, Real	18.00
Abatement Taxes of 1937, Real	11.70
Abatement Taxes of 1938, Real	21.60
Abatement Taxes of 1939, Real	108.00
Abatement Taxes of 1939, Personal	21.06
Abatement Taxes of 1940, Personal	19.71
Abatement Taxes of 1940, Real Estate	50.39
Abatement Taxes of 1941, Personal	16.32
Abatement Taxes of 1941, Real Estate	313.16
Abatement Taxes of 1940, Poll	8.00
Abatement Taxes of 1941, Poll	58.00
Tax Titles Taxes of 1939	306.45
Tax Titles Taxes of 1940	305.10
Tax Titles Taxes of 1941	600.78
Uncollected Taxes of 1940, Personal	6.48
Uncollected Taxes of 1940, Real Estate	2,121.92
Uncollected Taxes of 1941, Personal	246.04
Uncollected Taxes of 1941, Real Estate	5,881.80
Uncollected Taxes of 1940, Moth	7.50
Uncollected Taxes of 1941, Moth	14.50
	$50,249.13

MOTOR VEHICLES EXCISE

Dr.

Balance due Excise of 1939	$4.00
Balance due Excise of 1940	47.17
Warrants Excise of 1941	1,758.47

Abatements after payment (Refunded)	65.35
	$1,874.99

Cr.

Paid Treasurer Excise of 1940	$44.26
Paid Treasurer Excise of 1941	1,727.06
Abatement Excise of 1939	4.00
Abatement Excise of 1940	2.91
Abatement Excise of 1941	78.76
Uncollected Excise of 1941	18.00
	$1,874.99

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Collector.

Report of Town Clerk

DOGS LICENSED IN 1941

39 Male Dogs @ $2.00	$78.00
14 Spayed Female Dogs @ $2.00	28.00
12 Female Dogs @ $5.00	60.00
	$166.00

Animal Rescue League exempted from fee by law

Fees Retained by Clerk	$13.00
May 31, 1941, Paid County Treasurer	100.80
Nov. 15, 1941, Paid County Treasurer	52.20
	$166.00

	Paid Div.		Total	Fees	of F. & G.
29 Resident Fishing Licenses	@	$2.00	$58.00	$ 7.25	$50.75
65 Resident Hunting Licenses	@	2.00	130.00	16.25	113.75
5 Resident Sporting Licenses	@	3.25	16.25	1.25	15.00
5 Resident Female & Minors' Fishing Lic.	@	1.25	6.25	1.25	5.00
1 Resident Minor's Trapping License	@	2.25	2.25	.25	2.00
1 Resident Trapping License	@	5.25	5.25	.25	5.00
5 Resident Sporting and Trapping Licenses			(70 years of age or over No Fee)		
7 3-Day Non Resident Fishing Licenses	@	1.50	10.50	1.75	8.75
1 Non Resident Minor's Fishing License	@	2.25	2.25	.25	2.00
1 Non Resident Fishing License	@	5.25	5.25	.25	5.00
1 Non Resident Hunting	@	10.25	10.25	.25	10.00
			$246.25	$29.00	$217.25

DIVISION OF MARINE FISHERIES

1 Lobster and Crab License	@	$5.00	$5.00	.25	$4.75

BIRTHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1941

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Mar. 24	Gerald Franklin Lee	Roscoe Richard Lee	Marion Louise Ryder
Apr. 10	Samuel Jay Brackett	Samuel H. Brackett	Leah Isabelle Dickie
May 10	Deborah Frances Crosby	John Bernard Crosby	Madeline Frances Brown
May 16	James Harry Knowles	James Paxton Knowles Jr.	Dorothy Gladys Doane
May 29	Carlton Bates Emond	Curtis J. Emond	Marion E. Southard
June 13	Steven Menson Leach	Howard Menson Leach	Phyllis Elberta Francis
Aug. 20	Richard Carlton Mayo	Carlton Francis Mayo	Elizabeth Emma Howard

DEATHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1941

Date	Name	Age Y.	M.	D.	Cause of Death
Jan. 9	Charles W. Chase	79	3	24	Chronic Myocarditis, General Arterio Sclerosis, Coronary Sclerosis.
Jan. 27	Harry F. Engley	60	5	3	Carcinoma of Larynx with pulmonary Metastases.
Apr. 4	Almenia Lewis Brewer	92	6	2	Arterio Sclerosis, Acute Bronchitis
Apr. 10	Alicia Annie Roberts	50	8	14	Carcinoma of Sigmoid, Uremia
June 18	Edna M. Starkey Stafford	89	3	4	Uremia, Nephritis, Arterio Sclerosis
Aug. 13	Alice E. Warme	54			Internal injuries both abdomen and chest. Auto accident.
Aug. 20	John Worthen Higgins	70	8	26	Coronary Thrombosis, Arterio Sclerosis
Oct. 26	Chester A. Paull	66			Cerebral Hemorrhage, Paralysis Anitans, Arterio Sclerosis
Nov. 17	Abelino E. Doane	84	1	13	Acute edema of lungs, acute stenosis Arterio Sclerosis
Dec. 14	Arthur A. Clark	16	6	11	Gunshot wound. Accidental.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN 1941

July 3	Albert L. Brown	Charleston, N. C.
	Caroline E. Allen	Eastham
Aug. 28	Nathan Monroe Weber	Brewster, Mass.
	Barbara Ann Sibley	Eastham
Sept. 14	Ralph Randall Blakeslee	Newton, Mass.
	Eleanor Carolyn Knowles	Newton, Mass.
Sept. 21	William Edwin Joseph	Wellfleet, Mass.
	Dorothy May Atwood	Eastham
Oct. 11	William Andrew Manimom	Norwood, Mass.
	Esther Elizabeth Sparrow	Eastham
Dec. 17	Wesley B. Moore	Eastham
	Margaret M. McGinn	Chatham, Mass.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

February 3-4, 1941

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County aforesaid: Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, Eastham, Monday the third day of February next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the articles in this warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall, Eastham, Tuesday the fourth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Polls will be open from 10 o'clock A.M. to 6:30 o'clock P.M.

Article 1. To act upon the annual report including recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, providing the State makes a sat-

isfactory allotment for repair and maintenance of Town Ways under Chapter 81 Section 26-20 as amended.

Article 5. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1941, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Chapter 44 Section 17, General Laws.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of re-imbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1941, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Chapter 44 Section 6A, General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, General Laws, or take any action relative thereto and act fully thereon.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for free band concerts to be given by the Junior Community Band during the ensuing year or do or act anything thereon.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of shellfish, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 11. To see what sum of money shall be taken from available funds toward defraying the tax levy of 1941.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the local W.P.A. or any other succeeding governmental agency of like nature, for the purchase of material and other expenses.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 48, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of the year 1933.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Section 57 Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chap. 329, Acts of 1933.

Article 15. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Section 55, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 329 Acts of the year 1933.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for the suppression of tent caterpillars under the direction of the local 4-H Club leaders, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of installing a sink with necessary drainage, and a radiator for the heating, both to be installed in the south basement room in the Eastham School, or do or act anything thereon. (By request).

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the

Selectmen to continue to make a charge for all shellfish permits issued or do or act anything thereon.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws establishing a Finance Committee by inserting the words "No member of said Finance Committee shall succeed himself." (By request).

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or do or act anything thereon.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money under the provisions of Chapter 90—General Laws, same to be used for the construction of a bridge or dyke at Boat Meadow and that the Selectmen be authorized to enter into any contracts necessary.

Article 22. To see what action the Town will take regarding the erosion of the beach at the West Shore.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of twenty-five cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year, and raise and appropriate the sum of $40.00 for this purpose.

Article 24. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to pay out, relocate, and define the boundaries of School House Road, so-called, and appropriate the sum of $175.00 for the same.

Article 25. To see what action the Town will take in acquiring Town Landings.

Article 26. To see what action the Town will take relative to building regulations.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting

attested copies thereof, at the Packing House of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham at the Barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, at the Post Office in North Eastham and at the Post Office in Eastham seven days at least before time of holding said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN

MAURICE W. WILEY

Selectmen of Eastham

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING FEBRUARY 3, 1941

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the qualified voters met in the Town Hall and brought in their votes as follows: After the meeting was called to order by the Moderator, tellers were appointed and sworn by the Moderator, appointed Winifred J. Knowles and Mrs. Rose B. Nickerson.

Article 1. Voted that the Junior Community Band be asked to donate their services at the Memorial Day Exercises beginning January 1942.

Voted to accept the report of the Town Officers and Committees as amended. The budget submitted by the Finance Committee and accepted under this article is as follows:

Salaries

Moderator	$25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	900.00
Board of Welfare	600.00
Assessors	500.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes	1,500.00
Accountant	350.00

Expenses

Selectmen and Expenses	300.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer and Collector	300.00
Officers Travelling	150.00
Election Department	100.00
Surety on Bond	100.00
Assessors Abstracts	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00

Legal Expenses	75.00
Janitor	648.00
Town Hall	600.00
Suppression of Crime	25.00
Town Fires	50.00
Orleans Fire Department	150.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	20.00
Sealers of Weights and Measures	50.00
Inspection of Wiring	50.00
Moth Suppression	560.00
Private Moth	100.00
Fire Warden	70.00
Health	400.00
Inspection of Animals	25.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	400.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	1,200.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,200.00
Old Age Assistance	5,000.00
Soldiers' Benefits	250.00
Schools	16,900.00
Tax Title Account	300.00
Town Landings	100.00
Memorial Day	100.00
Community Christmas Tree	35.00
Town Reports	250.00
Finance Committee	10.00
Insurance	300.00
Old Mill	100.00
Miscellaneous	125.00
Reserve Fund	1,000.00
Old Cemeteries	150.00
Interest	325.00
School House Note	1,000.00
Town Dump	400.00
	$37,378.00

Article 2. Voted to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service, elected Clayton O. Horton Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. Voted to turn the refunded Dog Tax over to the Public Library.

Article 4. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,225.00 for repairs and maintenance of town ways, provided, the State will make a satisfactory allotment to the town under Chapter 81 Sections 26-29 as amended (General Laws). (Unanimous vote).

Article 5. Voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the municipal year beginning January 1, 1941, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the taxes of said municipal year, and to renew any note that may be given for a period of less than one year. (Unanimous vote)

Article 6. Voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of re-imbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1941, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for less than one year in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 6A General Laws.

Article 7. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the use of the Public Library. (Unanimous vote)

Article 8. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the town and unable to pay for such care and treatment. (Unanimous vote)

Article 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for free Band Concerts to be given by the Junior Community Band during the year. (Unanimous vote)

Article 10. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for propagation and $325.00 for shellfish protection. (37 in favor, 1 opposed)

Article 11. Voted that whatever sum necessary to maintain the tax rate at $427.00 be taken from available funds, provided, such sum is approved by the Director of Accounts. (Unanimous vote)

Article 12. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $700.00 for local W.P.A. or other succeeding governmental agency of like nature. (Unanimous vote).

Article 13. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 48, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329. Acts of 1933.

Article 14. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329 Acts of 1933.

Article 15. Voted to invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Section 55, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329 Acts of 1933.

Article 16. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 17. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for installation of radiation sufficient to heat south basement room and to equip a modern kitchen, the School

Committee are hereby empowered to carry out said vote. (28 in favor, 2 opposed).

Article 18. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge for all shellfish permits issued. (Unanimous vote)

Article 19. Voted to amend the Town By-Laws by inserting the words "No member of the Finance Committee shall succeed himself." (28 in favor, 8 opposed).

Article 20. Voted to authorize and empower the Selectmen to sell all land taken by tax title procedure from time to time in their discretion and that a list of all land for sale by the Town be kept posted in two or more public places and that the sum of $50.00 be appropriated for enabling purposes. (Unanimous vote)

Article 21. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum $1,875.00 for the construction of Boat Meadow Bridge; said sum, or any portion thereof, to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by State or County, or both, for this purpose and the Selectmen are hereby empowered to enter into any and all contracts necessary thereto. (36 in favor, 1 opposed).

Article 22. Voted that a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to investigate methods of controlling erosion at the West Shore Beach. Committee appointed Harvey T. Moore, Daniel W. Sparrow and Winford L. Schofield.

Article 23. Voted to pay 25 cents for each woodchuck killed within the town and to raise and appropriate the sum of $40.00 for the same. (Unanimous vote)

Article 24. Voted that the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to locate and define the boundaries of School

House Road, so-called, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $175.00 for the same. (Unanimous vote)

Article 25. Voted that a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to study questions relating to Town Landings and to bring in their report at the next Annual Town Meeting. Committee appointed Ralph A. Chase, Harris H. Etter and Winfred J. Knowles.

Article 26. Voted to appoint a committee of three to consider and bring in their report regards establishing building regulations at the next town meeting. Committee appointed Harvey T. Moore, Charles A. Gunn and Winthrop S. Brooks.

At this time the Moderator announced appointment of Carl C. French, Richard H. Whitford and Charles A. Gunn to the Finance Committee for three years.

Minutes of meeting read and adopted.

Voted to adjourn.

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Town Clerk

ANNUAL ELECTION

February 4, 1941

Polls opened at 10 o'clock A.M.

Elected:

George Howard, Moderator for one year.

Ralph A. Chase, Selectman, Assessors, Member of Board of Health and Public Welfare for three years.

Leslie E. Chase, Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year.

Bernard C. Collins, School Committee for three years.

Esther I. Gunn, Trustee of Public Library for three years.

Nathan A. Nickerson, Highway Surveyor for one year.

Charles F. Atwood and Harvey T. Moore, Constables for one year.

Ernest M. Moore, Tree Warden for one year.

Ballot box stood at opening of polls 000, at closing 224.

Polls closed at 6 o'clock P. M.

LESLIE E. CHASE

Town Clerk

List of Officers Appointed by the Selectmen:

Ernest M. Moore, Moth Superintendent.

Samuel F. Brackett, Weigher of Coal.

Harry W. Collins, Inspector of Slaughtering.

Omund H. Howes, Joseph W. Ryder, and Norman Dixon, Fish Wardens.

William H. Forrest, Forest Fire Warden.

Herbert D. Nickerson, Burial Agent.

Stanley M. Walker, Sealer of Weights and Measures.

George E. Hardwick, Walter F. Nickerson, Charles S. Whiting and Winfred J. Knowles, Special Police.

William B. Steele, Pound Keeper.

Edgar E. Rich, Fence Viewer.

Obed A. Fulcher, Arthur E. Brown and Adin L. Gill, Field Drivers.

George F. Crocker, Milk Inspector.

Alton R. Robbins, Assistant Milk and Sanitary Inspector.

Fred F. Dill, Supervisor of Old Cemeteries and Soldiers' and Sailors' Lots.

Maurice A. Moore and Reuben S. B. Hopkins, Inspectors of Wires.

LESLIE E. CHASE
Town Clerk

April 30, 1941

Mr. Leslie E. Chase
Town Clerk
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mr. Chase:

At a meeting of the Eastham Finance Committee held on April 11, 1941, the following officers were duly elected:

Charles F. Atwood, Chairman and Secretary.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES F. ATWOOD
Secretary

Eastham, Mass.

February 11, 1941

Hon. Robert T. Bushnell,
Attorney General
State House,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:

At the Annual Town Meeting, held February 3, 1941, it was voted to amend the Town By-Laws, I forward to you for approval the article in the warrant and the vote taken upon said article.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Law establishing a Finance Committee by inserting the words "No member of the said Finance Committee shall succeed himself."

Voted: To amend the Town By-Laws by inserting the words "No member of the Finance Committee shall succeed himself." Vote stood 28 in favor, 8 opposed.

Yours very truly

LESLIE E. CHASE
Town Clerk

February 13, 1941

The foregoing by-law is hereby approved.

Robert T. Bushnell
Attorney General

By Telesphore LeBoeuf
Assistant Attorney General

LESLIE E. CHASE
Town Clerk

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

WARRANT SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

July 18, 1941

Barnstable, ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham, in the County aforesaid: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet in the Town Hall in said Eastham, on Friday the Eighteenth day of July at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds an additional sum of money under the provisions of Chapter 90, General Laws, to be used for the construction of Boat Meadow Bridge.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift from J. Robert Whiting, a small parcel of land on Orchard Road, to be used for road purposes.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to accept layout of the re-location of Schoolhouse Road as laid out by its Selectmen, and that a sum of money be raised and appropriated from available funds for damages.

Article 4. To see what action the Town will take regarding a Town Landing and road to same near Camp Ground Road.

Article 5. To hear the reports of any Committtee ap-

pointed at the last Annual Town Meeting and do or act anything thereon.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take relative to the establishment of a Fire Department, to the purchase of fire fighting equipment and raise and appropriate a sum of money for these purposes and do or act anything thereon. (By request).

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in Eastham, the Post Office in North Eastham, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins and at the barn of Harry W. Collins, seven days at least before the date of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this tenth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred forty-one.

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
MAURICE W. WILEY
Selectmen of Eastham

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

July 18, 1941

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the qualified voters met at the Town Hall at the time specified and voted as follows:

Article 1. Voted unanimously that the Town raise and appropriate from available funds an additional sum of $325. under the provisions of Chapter 90, General Laws, same to be used for the construction of Boat Meadow Bridge, said sum or any portion thereof to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County or both for this purpose and the Selectmen are hereby empowered to enter into any contract necessary thereto. (Unanimous vote)

Article 2. Voted unanimously that the Town accept as a gift from J. Robert Whiting a small parcel of land at the junction of Orchard and Patterson Roads for road purposes.

Article 3. Voted unanimously that the town accept the layout of the widening, relocation and definition of Schoolhouse Road, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen and that they be authorized to take by eminent domain, purchase or gift, in fee and in behalf of the town for road purposes, all land included in new layout and that the Town raise and appropriate from available funds the sum of $100.00 for land damage expenses.

Article 4. Voted unanimously that the Town accept as a gift from Carlton Shurtleff, a parcel of land located at the northeast corner of his premises, with frontage on Cape Cod Bay of about 200 feet, for a Town Landing and that the Selectmen be instructed to acquire land for and layout a road beginning near Camp Ground Road and running southerly over land of Emily Rodman and Adalyn Hann a distance of

about 275 feet to said Landing and that the sum of $225.00 be raised and appropriated from available funds for the purpose of acquiring land and layout of road and landing.

Article 5. Harvey T. Moore reported for the Committee regarding methods to control erosion at the West Shore Gamp Ground Beach, the committee had not gone into the matter at length due to the fact that it was understood at the time of their appointment that the property owners would be consulted before making any decision. At this time it has been impossible to see all persons interested and the committee are not ready tor report fully.

Mr. Harvey T. Moore reported for the Committee on zoning, that owing to the illness of Mr. Charles A. Gunn a member of the committee, this Committee also is not ready to report.

Article 6. Voted that a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to contact companies to secure figures for fire fighting equipment for the Town of Eastham, this committee to present these figures at the next Annual Town Meeting. Committee appointed William H. Forrest, Albion F. Rich Jr., and Nathan E. Clark.

Minutes of meeting read and approved.

Voted to adjourn at 8:59 P.M.

LESLIE E. CHASE

Town Clerk

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Warrant for Special Town Meeting

December 19, 1941

Barnstable, ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County aforesaid: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet in the Town Hall, in said Eastham, on Friday, the nineteenth day of December next, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds a sum of money for Old Age Assistance.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds a sum of money for Aid to Dependent Children.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds the sum of $50.00 for Town Hall Account.

Article 4. To see of the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds the sum of $50.00 for Soldiers' Benefits.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds a sum of money for Civilian Defense under the provisions of Chapter 487 Acts of 1941.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one at shellfish cellar of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, and at the Post Office in Eastham and in North Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 10th day of December in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-One.

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
MAURICE W. WILEY
Selectmen of Eastham

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

December 19, 1941

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the qualified voters met at the Town Hall and brought in their votes as follows:

Article 1. Voted to raise and appropriate from available funds the sum of $500.00 for Old Age Assistance. (Unanimous vote)

Article 2. Voted to raise and appropriate from available funds the sum of $100.00 for Aid to Dependent Children. (Unanimous vote)

Article 3. Voted to raise and appropriate from available funds the sum of $50.00 for the Town Hall Account. (Unanimous vote)

Article 4. Voted to raise and appropriate from available funds the sum of $50.00 for Soldiers' Benefits. (Unanimous vote)

Article 5. Voted to raise and appropriate from available funds the sum of $1,200.00 for Civilian Defense under the provisions of Chapter 487 Acts of 1941. (Unanimous vote)

Minutes of meeting read and adopted.

Voted to adjourn at 8:32 P.M. Meeting opened at 7:35 P. M.

Respectfully submitted

LESLIE E. CHASE

Town Clerk

Report of the Eastham Finance Committee
For the Year 1941

Organization: April 11, 1941

Charles F. Atwood elected Chairman and Secretary.

Transfers approved were as follows:

To Soldiers' Benefits	$100.00
To Orleans Fire Dep't	5.00
To Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collectors Expense	100.00
To Shellfish Propagation	165.00
To Aid to Dependent Children	150.00
To Town Landing and Road at Camp Ground	40.00
To Misc.	25.00
To Public Health	250.00
To Town Hall	100.00
To Shellfish Protection	25.00
To Assessors' Abstracts	10.00
To Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collectors Expense	20.00
To Inspection of Wiring	10.00
	$1,000.00

Reserve Account	$1,000.00
Transfers	1,000.00
Balance	0 000.00

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. ATWOOD
HERBERT D. NICKERSON
HARVEY T. MOORE
CHARLES A. GUNN
HAROLD WHITFORD
ABBOTT S. WALKER
CARL E. FRENCH
LEWIS W. COLLINS
MAURICE A. MOORE

Eastham Finance Committee

Report of Town Landing Committee

During the first part of the year we were fortunate in having Mr. Carlton Shurtleff of South Easton, Mass., offer the town a parcel of land on Cape Cod Bay, near Camp Ground Road, for a Common Town Landing, which the town accepted.

This parcel consists of over two and one-half acres with a frontage of 200 feet on the Bay.

We recommend that in appropriating money for Town Landings this year, that $300.00 be considered to be used for improvement of this Landing, in addition to the regular appropriation.

We also recommend that a vote of appreciation be extended to Mr. Shurtleff for the fine spirit he has shown.

Respectfully,

RALPH A. CHASE,

WINFRED J. KNOWLES,

Town Landing Committee.

TOWN OF EASTHAM

Balance Sheet—October 18, 1941

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets			Liabilities and Reserves		
Cash		$32,187.07	Temporary Loans:		
Accounts Receivable:			In Anticipation of Revenue 1941	$15,000.00	
Taxes:			In Anticipation of Reimbursement	10,000.00	
Polls:					$25,000.00
Levy of 1941	$6.00				
Personal Property Taxes:					
Levy of 1940	11.88				
Levy of 1941	878.45				
Real Estate Taxes:					
Levy of 1939	19.38				
Levy of 1940	2,762.03				
Levy of 1941	13,201.11				
		16,878.85			
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:					
Levy of 1941		23.76			
			State Tax and Assessments		4,160.67
			County Tax—Overestimate		325.63
			Tailings—Unclaimed Checks		85.07
			Dog Licenses—Due County		52.20
			Deposit—Sale of Land		80.00
			Sale of Real Estate Fund		1,600.00
			Trust Fund Income:		
			Timothy Smith Fund	$495.42	

Special Assessments:		
Moth 1940	$8.75	
Moth 1941	16.00	
		24.75
Departmental:		
Old Age Assistance	$406.30	
State Aid	35.00	
		441.30
State and County Aid to Highways:		
State—Chapter 81	$4,776.53	
State—Chapter 90	2,642.71	
County—Chapter 90	1,321.37	
		8,740.61
Tax Titles	$2,856.92	
Tax Possessions	2,432.59	
		5,289.51
Estimated Receipts to be collected		8,200.43
Overlay Deficit:		
Overlay—1938		.10
Overdrawn Accounts:		
Miscellaneous Expenses		.48
		$71,786.86

Town Hall Fund	36.38	
		531.80
Appropriation Balances		18,708.06
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		1,598.25
Overlays Reserved for Abatements:		
Levy of 1939	$19.38	
Levy of 1940	255.17	
Levy of 1941	1,222.71	
		1,497.26
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	$23.76	
Special Assessments	24.75	
Departmental	441.30	
Tax Title	5,289.51	
County Aid to Highway	1,321.37	
		7,100.69
Surplus Revenue		11,047.23
		$71,786.86

BALANCE SHEET—Continued

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$10,000.00	Schoolhouse Loan	$10,000.00

TRUST ACCOUNTS

Trust Funds, Cash and Securities:		Timothy Smith Fund		
In Custody of:		Income	*$28,034.74	
Town Treasurer	$29,539.00	Town Hall Fund Income	154.68	
Boston Safe Deposit and		Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	577.56	
Trust Company	2,470.38	Eastham World War		
New England Trust Company	14,000.00	Memorial Fund	453.55	
		Eastham Community Christ-		
		mas Tree Fund	73.58	
		Cemetery Perpetual Care		
		Funds	244.89	
				$29,539.00

	Town Hall Fund	**2,470.38
	Billings Library Fund	14,000.00
$46,009.38		$46,009.38

* Includes $495.42 in general cash.

** Includes $36.38 in general cash.

THEODORE N. WADDELL,

Director of Accounts.

Report of Highway Surveyor

Chapter 81

To appropriation	$3,225.00	By Payment	$9,675.00
By State	6,450.00		
	$9,675.00		$9,675.00

Laborers' Wages	$3,052.13
Surveyor's wages	680.50
Trucks	1,415.00
Power Grader and Operator	531.13
Asphalt	3,451.15
Bulldozer	31.50
Gravel Loader	178.50
72 ft. R. C. Pipe	78.84
16 yds. Rock	16.00
Guard Rail Posts	104.00
Shovels and Rakes	24.30
Scythes, Handles and Stones	4.80
Hardening	38.64
Sand	54.70
Gas, Oil, Grease	11.56
Guard Rail Paint	2.25
	$9,675.00

Under Article 25 in the Town Warrant, I am asking for a New Snow Plow to take the place of the old one we now have. The plow we have at present is about fourteen years old and cannot be depended on as it is about worn out. It has been repaired and patched up for the

last two years and I have been trying to get by without asking for a new one, but the time has come, if we do not purchase a new plow, we are very liable to be caught with a broken plow beyond repair and our roads will be blocked as this is the only plow we have.

I have not asked for any specified sum as I have not got the prices in from different concerns as yet.

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN A. NICKERSON

Highway Surveyor.

Annual Report of Shellfish Constable

During the year 1941 the following amounts of shellfish were planted in Town waters:

Quahaug seed	120 bushels
Clam seed	254 bushels
Oyster seed	12 bushels

Areas planted with quahaug seed include Salt Pond, Salt Pond River, Salt Pond Bay, between the Channels, The Hook and certain parts of Station Bay; also Big Flat and other areas in South Eastham.

All clam seed was planted in the Sunken Meadow area.

Oyster seed planted in the lower part of Salt Pond River.

Areas opened during the year include the following: Salt Pond River for the taking of both quahaugs and oysters for family use. North side of Salt Pond for the taking of soft clams for family use.

I am unable to give an accurate account of the amount of quahaugs taken from the River during the past year, but believe that a conservative figure would be 200 bushels. This figure is based upon the number of persons fishing there from day to day and the fact that up until the River was closed again in November everyone seemed to get the limit. It should be noted that this amount exceeds the estimate of 100 bushels on hand made at the end of last year, therefore $150.00 should be added to the total value of this project as stated in the report of 1940.

It is to be assumed that some of the quahaug seed planted last year will be a total loss due to an unprecedented condition that came about during October and the first part of November. I refer to a sea growth known locally as goggle which came in through Nauset Inlet and settled on the flats in various places. We have had visitations of this growth before but never in such an immense amount. Many soft clams were also lost due to the same cause.

Seven hundred and eighty-seven short lobsters and 49 seeders were liberated in the Town Cove. I understand that these lobsters came from Nova Scotia.

In persuance of the policy of co-operation with the Division of Marine Fisheries about 700 bushels of seed clams were taken up for distribution elsewhere in the Commonwealth. This seed taken from the same area as last year, it being a younger set.

Contributions by the Division of Marine Fisheries toward our shellfisheries during the year were as follows:

Seed clams	$254.00
Seed quahaugs	330.00
	$584.00

Also oyster seed and lobsters were furnished to the Town without cost except for handling on this end.

Quahaug seed planted in the River and Salt Pond has done remarkable well and will attain the size of large necks and small cherries by another summer. Due to being very remote from the Inlet little goggle penetrated to, and no loss will be sustained, in these areas.

It will be impossible to make any worthwhile check

on the other areas until Spring. It is fair to state, however, that the loss may not be great as quahaugs do not smother as easily as soft clams.

With a dubious outlook for other businesses in Town due to war conditions and with an assurance of good shellfish prices for the duration, it would seem advisable to do as much propagation work as possible during the coming year.

Clams planted in 1940 at Sunken Meadow have grown nicely and will be of good marketable size by late Spring. It probably would be advisable to hold them for the Summer market.

It should be noted that the accounting between Orleans and Eastham shows a net return to Eastham in license fees of $308.06 thus reducing that net cost of shellfisheries to the Town to $291.94, plus transfers of $190.00.

Due to the increase in the volume and scope of shellfish propagation added to the regular routine of patrol work and because I have no expense account and must furnish my own transporation, I am asking for an increase in salary. The request is based also upon a comparison of results obtained and salaries paid by other Towns that have shellfisheries of note.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. F. ATWOOD,

Shellfish Constable

Joint Shellfisheries—Towns of Eastham and Orleans for Year 1941

Receipts: Eastham	
Grants	$28.92
Family licenses	312.50
Commercial licenses	32.00
	$373.42

Expense: Eastham	
T. C. Fees	$4.00
Advertising	12.50
Planting lobsters	4.50
Lumber	4.07
Printing	14.98
Surveying	11.00
	$51.05
Eastham receipts	$373.42
Orleans receipts	250.50
	½)623.92
	311.96
	250.50
Due Orleans	$61.46
Eastham expense	$51.05
Orleans expense	58.86
	½)109.91
	54.95
	51.05
Due Orleans	$3.90

Receipts: Orleans	
Grants	$40.50
Family licenses	126.00
Commercial licenses	84.00
	$250.00

Expense: Orleans	
T. C. Fees	$10.50
Cloth signs	3.75
Lumber, etc.	11.24
Printing & Publishing	14.97
Surveying	18.40
	$58.86
	$61.46
	3.90
Due Orleans	$65.36

Report of Public Safety Committee

We believe that most of you are fairly well informed in a general way as to the functions of the Civilian Defense program, but your Committee is of the opinion that all of you are not familiar as to how it operates in your own town.

In attempting to organize a Defense Center at Eastham Town Hall we found that on account of the distance from the telephone exchange the cost of telephones would have been considerable and that we had neither doctors or nurses residing in Eastham to take charge of the Medical Division. Due to this situation we thought of the idea of consolidating our services with Orleans and operate from the Orleans Defense Center.

This was agreeable to the Orleans Public Safety Committee and permission was granted by the State Committee. The Selectmen of the two towns met and agreed that the cost of equipping and operating the Orleans Defense Center be based on the number of people being protected, and that Eastham pay one-third and Orleans two-thirds, which we consider is very fair. We can assure you that at less expense we have been able to give better protection to the people of Eastham than we could have by operating our own Defense Center.

At a Special Town Meeting held December 19th $1,200 was appropriated for Civilian Defense, to be used for first aid equipment, forest fire equipment, improvement of water holes and expense of operating Orleans Defense Center until the Annual Town Meeting. As the most of this appropriation has been earmarked it will be necessary to make

another appropriation to carry us through the year and we recommend an appropriation of $1,000.00 to be used to complete the improvement of water holes, expense of operating Orleans Defense Center, and a small reserve for incidental expenses.

We appreciate the very fine co-operation of all of you, but if you haven't been assigned a place in this work and would care to volunteer your services, get in touch with any member of this Committee. Every able bodied person is needed.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH A. CHASE,
ANNE P. BROWNELL,
LEWIS W. COLLINS,
FRED F. DILL,
WINFRED J. KNOWLES,
BERNARD C. COLLINS,
Eastham Public Safety Committee.

January 12, 1942

Mr. Ralph A. Chase,
Chairman, Board of Selectmen,
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing a statement issued by His Excellency Leverett Saltonstall which calls to attention the necessity for prompt action in providing funds for certain civilian defense expenses.

It seems to me that the statement is so clear and the reasons given are so apparent that you should give serious consideration to the message, and I earnestly recommend that you follow the suggestions given as closely as possible.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL

Director of Accounts.

January 12, 1942

Governor Saltonstall today issued the following statement:

Numerous inquiries by town and city officials as to the desirability of taking immediate action to provide appropriations for local defense purposes are reaching this office as well as other State agencies concerned with defense.

Under ordinary circumstances, any Governor hesitates to make recommendations concerning local policies, but, in view of the seriousness of the present situation and the lack of clarity in the various factors involved, it seems wise to make certain definite suggestions.

I, therefore, recommend that cities and towns take action as soon as possible to provide whatever funds may be necessary for administration and organization of Civilian Defense activities. At the same time, I suggest that the time has not yet arrived to make appropriations for major protective materials, such as fire-fighting equipment, helmets, uniforms, etc.

A bill to purchase equipment is pending in Congress

and there is every reason to suppose that the Federal Government intends to provide either some equipment or the funds with which to purchase it. J. W. Farley, Executive Director of the Massachusetts Committe on Public Safety, has been requested to be in Washington on Wednesday to confer with officials there on all matters relating to equipment. Our special session of the Legislature, which will take place within a short time, will then, I hope, be in the best position to meet the situation in view of probable action by the Federal Government.

Report of Town Accountant

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I have the honor of submitting the report of the Accounting Department for the year ending December 31, 1941, as follows:

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1941		$8,008.25
General Revenue		
Taxes 1939 Real	$2,793.56	
Taxes 1939 Personal	101.46	
Taxes 1940 Real	6,281.98	
Taxes 1940 Personal	684.18	
Taxes 1941 Real	26,584.61	
Taxes 1941 Personal	3,249.03	
Poll Tax 1941	382.00	
		40,076.82
Motor Vehicle Excise 1940	44.26	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1941	1,727.06	
		1,771.32
Tax Title Redemption	642.28	642.28
Sale of Land	688.40	688.40
From State		
Income tax	$3,484.42	
Highway Chapter 420	4,106.87	
Business Corp. Tax	469.24	
Public Service	9.83	
		8,070.36
From County		
Dog Licenses		139.38

Licenses and Permits		
Shellfish	344.50	
Shellfish grants	28.92	
Fish weir	11.00	
Eel fyke	5.00	
Pedlers	6.00	
Innholders	14.00	
Gasoline	6.00	
Lodging House	10.00	
Cabin	7.50	
Garbage	1.00	
Milk	16.00	
Amusement	1.00	
Dog	153.00	
Licenses (Audit Adjustment)	9.50	
Victuallers	6.00	
		619.42
Grants and Gifts		
Transportation of High School	$1,980.00	
Superintendent	220.30	
		2,200.30
Commercial Revenue		
Moth	$27.50	
Town Hall Rental	54.50	
Sealer's fees	11.57	
Library Fines	23.12	
		116.69
From State		
Inspection of animals	$12.50	
Bounty on Seals	5.50	
Highways, Chapter 81	6,149.58	
Highways, Chapter 90	3,717.17	
Public Welfare	169.87	
Board of Health	51.43	
Old Age Assistance	3,769.25	
Aid to Dependent Children	422.70	

Soldiers' Benefits:		
Veterans' Exemption	25.20	
State Aid	35.00	
Old Age Assistance from other Towns	99.67	
		14,457.87
Federal Grants		
Old Age Assistance	$4,906.92	
Old Age Assistance Administration	163.76	
Aid to Dependent Children	1,096.43	
Aid to Dependent Children Administration	33.69	
		6,200.80
From the County		
Highways, Chapter 90		1,858.58
Schools:		
City of Boston	$291.12	
Telephone tolls	.90	
Fuses	1.50	
		293.52
Unclassified:		
Reimbursement loss of taxes	$ 7.36	
Tax title redemption	40.19	
Use of telephone	.55	
Sale of Materials:		
Ping Pong table	$2.00	
Light fuses	1.60	
Corn	4.20	
		55.90
Interest		
Taxes	$393.58	
Motor Vehicle Excise	3.03	

Tax title interest	43.07	
Poll tax demands	20.65	
		460.33
Sale of Meal		155.40
Loans		
Anticipation of Reimbursement	$10,000.00	
Anticipation of Revenue	15,000.00	
		25,000.00
Income		
Billings fund	$420.00	
Timothy Smith fund	838.30	
Town Hall fund	36.38	
		1,294.68
Withdrawn Trust Funds		
Timothy Smith Fund Loans	$960.00	
Timothy Smith Fund Gifts	175.00	
Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	69.38	
Cemetery Funds	14.00	
		1,218.38
Refunds		
Christmas Tree	.45	
Dental Clinic	45.95	
Dog account	20.00	
Insurance	5.88	
Tree Warden	.63	
Assessors' and Selectmen's Expense	19.35	
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense	56.10	
Free Bed	1.50	
Town Hall	38.00	
Shellfish	55.00	
Highways, Chapter 90	7.00	
Health	30.00	
		279.86
Total Receipts		$113,608.54

PAYMENTS

Officers' Travelling Expenses	$69.15
Selectmen's Salaries	900.00
Moderator	25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Salary Secretary Finance Committee	50.00
Assessors' and Selectmen's Expense	299.53
Salary Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	1,500.00
Accountant's Salary and Expense	376.44
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense	473.52
Salary Board of Public Welfare	475.02
Surety on Bond	98.50
Assessors' Salaries	500.00
Assessors' Abstracts	84.94
Certifications of Notes	4.00
Legal Expenses	51.10
Election and Registrations	99.48
Janitor	648.00
Town Hall	784.06
Suppression of Crime	20.15
Civilian Defense	115.09
Town Fires	49.12
Orleans Fire Department	155.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	20.00
Moth Suppression	560.00
Private Moth Suppression	82.00
Tree Warden	70.63
Sealer of Weights and Measures	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	58.00
Bounty on Woodchucks	13.75
Shellfish Propagations	519.86
Shellfish Protection	369.55
Health	663.93
Town Dump	235.43
Inspection of Animals	25.00
Dog Account	20.00

Highways General	397.87
Highways Chapter 81	9,675.00
Highways Chapter 90	7,458.04
Snow	102.72
Public Welfare	854.46
Aid to Dependent Children	1,416.75
Aid to Dependent Children U. S. G.	1,301.15
Aid to Dependent Children Administration U. S. G.	1.50
Old Age Assistance	5,500.00
Old Age Assistance U. S. G.	4,871.11
Old Age Assistance Administration U. S. G.	202.25
Soldiers' Benefits—State Aid	380.50
W. P. A.	454.99
Schools	16,859.16
Public Library	146.52
Public Library—Trust Fund Account	619.50
Tax Title Account	279.96
Expense Selling Tax Title Property	6.00
Town Landings	96.78
Town Landing and Road at Camp Ground Landing	256.25
Defining Boundaries (Schoolhouse Road)	175.00
Land Damage (Schoolhouse Road)	21.61
Installing Radiator and Sink at School	348.79
Free Band Concerts	150.00
Memorial Day	97.25
Community Christmas Tree	33.14
Free Bed—Cape Cod Hospital	301.50
Town Reports	250.00
Insurance	217.48
Finance Committee	6.50
Old Mill	169.38
Sale of Meal	155.40
Miscellaneous	136.98
Old Cemeteries	121.00
Interest	323.75
Loan	5,000.00
Income Timothy Smith Fund	838.30

Timothy Smith Fund (Loans, Gifts)	1,035.00
Frank O. Daniels Cemetery Trust Fund	2.00
Zara Higgins Trust Fund	12.00
Income Town Hall Fund	36.38
Tax Refunds	7.28
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Refund	65.35
State Tax	3,630.00
County Tax	4,269.55
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	480.15
State Parks	42.88
Dog Licenses	153.00
State Audit	5.94
Temporary Loan	15,000.00
Cabin License Refund	.50
Interest Refund	.60
Schoolhouse Loan	1,000.00
	$94,523.47

REVENUE 1941

Appropriations	$45,043.00	Poll Tax Commitment	$436.00
State Tax	3,630.00	Real and Personal Tax Commitment	36,842.32
County Tax	4,595.18	Estimated Receipts	18,082.25
Mosquito Control	480.15	Overestimate State Parks	2.77
State Parks	44.58	Appropriations Balances	2,678.11
State Audit	5.94	December Commitment	45.14
Overlay 1935	6.65		
Overlay 1938	32.96		
Overlay 1941	1,524.88		
Balance Estimated Receipts	56.34		
	$55,419.68		
To Excess and Deficiency	2,666.91		
	$58,086.59		$58,086.59

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY

Tax Titles	$1,862.33	Bal. Jan. 1, 1941	$12,219.27
Transfers	1,900.00	Disclaimers	94.50
		Tax Adjustments	4.32
	$3,762.33	Tax Title	
Excess and Deficiency	11,864.95	Redemptions	642.28
			$12,960.37
		Revenue	2,666.91
	$15,627.28		$15,627.28

CLASSIFICATIONS OF APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS

Officers' Travelling Expenses

Selectmen's Expenses		Appropriation	$150.00
E. D. Penniman	$12.25		
M. W. Wiley	18.00		
R. A. Chase	10.40		
Assessors' Expenses			
E. D. Penniman	6.50		
M. W. Wiley	8.00		
R. A. Chase	14.00		
	$69.15		
Balance to Revenue	80.85		
	$150.00		$150.00

Selectmen's Salaries

Ralph A. Chase	$400.00	Appropriation	$900.00
E. D. Penniman	200.00		
M. W. Wiley	300.00		
	$900.00		$900.00

Moderator

George Howard	$25.00	Appropriation	$25.00

Constable

Harvey T. Moore	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Road Surveyor

Nathan A. Nickerson	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Salary Secretary Finance Committee

Charles F. Atwood	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Assessors' and Selectmen's Expense Appropriation

Selectmen		Appropriation	$300.00
Printing Stationery, Postage	$14.20	Refunds	19.35
Dues Selectmen's Association	6.00		
Recordings	4.06		
Framing Pictures	10.00		
Assessors			
Printing Stationery, Postage	75.49		
Typewriter	148.55		
Clerical Work	10.00		
Dues	3.00		
Overhauling Typewriter	10.00		
Recording	2.33		
Ink, Express, etc.	1.55		
Refund Treas. Coll. Clerk Expense	14.35		
	$299.53		
Balance to Revenue	19.82		
	$319.35		$319.35

Salary Treasurer, Collector, Clerk

L. E. Chase	$1,500.00	Appropriation	$1,500.00

Accountant Salary and Expenses

L. Isabelle Brackett		Appropriation	$380.00
Salary	$350.00		
Pencils, Staples	3.00		
Classification and Ledger Sheets	16.32		
Cash Book and Postage	6.92		
Telephone	.20		
	$376.44		
Balance to Revenue	3.56		
	$380.00		

Salary Board of Welfare

R. A. Chase	$166.68	Appropriation	$600.00
M. W. Wiley	250.00		
E. D. Penniman	58.34		
	$475.02		
Balance to Revenue	124.98		
	$600.00		

Surety on Bond

Treasurer	$28.50	Appropriation	$100.00
Collector	60.00		
Town Clerk	5.00		
Deputy Tax Collector	5.00		
	$98.50		
Balance to Revenue	1.50		
	$100.00		

Expense Treasurer, Collector, Clerk

Treasurer		Appropriation	$300.00
Use of Car	$42.10	Refunds	56.10
Printing Stationery, Postage	188.70	Transferred from Reserve	120.00
Adding Machine Rolls	7.00		
Collector			
Printing Stationery, Postage	121.33		
Town Clerk			
Recording Fees	33.65		
Dues	2.50		
Expenses Attending Meeting	6.00		
Printing Stationery, Postage	54.76		
Typewriting Ribbon	2.00		
Pencils, Erasers, Clips, etc.	10.48		
Clerical Assistance	4.00		
Box Rent	1.00		
	$473.52		
Balance to Revenue	2.58		
	$476.10		$476.10

Assessors' Salaries

R. A. Chase	$50.00	Appropriation	$500.00
E. D. Penniman	250.00		
M. W. Wiley	200.00		
	$500.00		

Assessors' Abstracts

Shirley B. Chase	$84.94	Appropriation	$75.00
Balance to Revenue	.06	Transferred from Reserve	10.00
	$85.00		$85.00

Certification of Notes

Leslie E. Chase	$2.00	Appropriation	$10.00
Director of Accounts	2.00		
	$4.00		
Balance to Revenue	6.00		
	$10.00		

Legal Expenses

Thomas Otis	$35.55	Appropriation	$75.00
Emulous Hall	15.55		
	$51.10		
Balance to Revenue	23.90		
	$75.00		

Election and Registration

Printing Stationery, Postage	$18.48	Appropriation	$100.00
Election Officers			
Alonzo Gill	5.00		
Abbott Knowles	5.00		
Winfred Knowles	9.00		
Rose B. Nickerson	4.00		
Harold Arnold	1.50		
Phillip T. Schwind	1.50		

Registrars

R. A. Chase	15.00
E. D. Penniman	15.00
M. W. Wiley	15.00
L. E. Chase	10.00
	$99.48
Balance to Revenue	.52
	$100.00

Janitor

George Hardwick	$405.00	Appropriation	$648.00
Carlton Mayo	243.00		
	$648.00		

Town Hall

Oil Burner	$226.88	Appropriation	$600.00
Fuel	315.55	Refund	38.00
Telephone	29.90	Trans. from Reserve	100.00
Lights	66.36	Trans. from available funds	50.00
Work on Bandstand	6.25		
Paint, Brushes, Ladder, etc.	69.81		
Work on Boiler	11.25		
Repairs	12.00		
Cleaner, Soap Powder, etc.	29.50		
Furniture Dressing	21.75		
Hedgetrimmer	6.18		
Janitor's Supplies	28.63		
	$784.06		
Balance to Revenue	3.94		
	$788.00		$788.00

Suppression of Crime

Walter F. Nickerson	$13.30	Appropriation	$25.00
Commissioner Public Safety	.30		
Lester O'Neil	6.55		
	$20.15		
Balance to Revenue	4.85		
	$25.00		

Civilian Defense

First Aid Supplies	$64.09	Transferred from	
Sirens	51.00	available funds	$1,200.00
	$115.09		
Balance to Revenue	1,084.91		
	$1,200.00		

Town Fires

Trucking	$3.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Supplies	38.60		
Labor	7.52		
	$49.12		
Balance to Revenue	.88		
	$50.00		

Orleans Fire Department

Labor	$155.00	Appropriation	$150.00
		Transferred from Reserve	5.00
			$155.00

Prevention, Suppression Forest Fires

Labor	$20.00	Appropriation	$20.00

Moth Suppression

Labor	$356.00	Appropriation	$560.00
Trucks	180.16		
Equipment	4.59		
Gas, Oil, etc.	4.25		
Advertising	15.00		
	$560.00		

Inspection of Wiring

Maurice A. Moore	$58.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	2.00	Transferred from Reserve	10.00
	$60.00		$60.00

Private Moth Suppression

Labor	$58.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Truck	24.00		
	$82.00		
Balance to Revenue	18.00		
	$100.00		

Tree Warden

Labor	$60.00	Appropriation	$70.00
Equipment	10.63	Refund	.63
	$70.63		$70.63

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Stanley M. Walker	$40.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	10.00		
	$50.00		

Bounty on Woodchucks

Paid Bounties	$13.75	Appropriation	$40.00
Balance to Revenue	26.25		
	$40.00		

Shellfish Propagation

Shellfish Labor Payrolls	$516.11	Appropriation	$300.00
		Transferred from Reserve	165.00
Printing	3.75	Refund	55.00
	519.86		
Balance to Revenue	.14		
	$520.00		$520.00

Shellfish Protection

Charles F. Atwood, Constable	$300.00	Appropriation	$350.00
		Transferred from Reserve	25.00
Printing	14.98		
Advertising Hearings	12.50		
Cartage, Use of Car, Labor	38.00		
Lumber, Nails, Tacks, etc.	4.07		
	$369.55		
Balance to Revenue	5.45		
	$375.00		$375.00

Health

Services as Health Officers		Appropriation	$400.00
Ralph A. Chase	5.00	Refund	30.00
E. D. Penniman	5.00	Transferred from Reserve	250.00
M. W. Wiley	5.00		
Medical Care	474.50		
Dental Clinic	75.00		
Well Child Conference	50.00		
Attending Meetings			
M. W. Wiley	9.00		
E. D. Penniman	6.00		
Burying Blackfish	30.00		
Printing	.68		
Supplies	3.75		
	$663.93		
Balance to Revenue	16.07		
	$680.00		$680.00

Town Dump

Supervisor's Salary		Appropriation	$400.00
G. H. Carlisle	$42.50		
Charles Escobar	179.00		
Repairs & Supplies	13.93		
	235.43		
Balance to Revenue	164.57		
	$400.00		

Inspection of Animals

Harry Collins	$25.00	Appropriation	$25.00

Dog Account

Walter F. Nickerson	$20.00	Appropriation	$20.00

Highways General

Labor	$255.38	Appropriation	$400.00
Truck	63.00		
Hardening	26.34		
Gas, Oil, Etc.	19.65		
Miscellaneous Supplies Brushes, Files, Scythe, Bolts, Rakes, etc.	33.50		
	397.87		
Balance to Revenue	2.13		
	$400.00		

Highways Chapter 81

Surveyor's Bills	$9,675.00	Appropriation	$3,225.00
		State Allotment	6,450.00
			$9,675.00

(See Surveyor's Report)

Highways Chapter 90

Expenditures	$7,458.04	Appropriation	$1,875.00
Balance to 1942	1,348.96	Appropriation	325.00
		County Allotment	2,200.00
		State Allotment	4,400.00
		Refund	7.00
	$8,807.00		$8,807.00

Snow

Labor	$90.50	Appropriation	$300.00
Snow Blade	12.22		
	102.72		
Balance to Revenue	197.28		
	$300.00		

Public Welfare

Trucking		Appropriation	$1,200.00
Commodities	$122.86		
Bags for Commodities	9.19		
Groceries	156,71		
Coal and Wood	37.75		
Board and Care	87.85		
Cash Grants	250.00		
Trapping License	5.25		
Burial Expenses	175.00		
Transportation	8.00		
Clothes Basket	1.25		
Express	.60		
	854.46		
Balance to Revenue	345.54		
	$1,200.00		

Aid to Dependent Children

Cash Grants	$1,434.50	Appropriation	$1,200.00
Administration	9.00	Tr. from reserve	150.00
	1,443.50	Tr. from available funds	100.00
Balance to Revenue	6.50		
	$1,450.00		$1,450.00

Aid to Dependent Children U. S. G.

Aid	$1,301.15	Balance Jan. 1, 1941	$232.82
Balance to 1942	54.85	Grants	1,096.43
		Tr. from Appropriation	26.75
	$1,356.00		$1,356.00

Aid to Dependent Children Adm. U. S. G.

Typing Expense	$1.50	Balance Jan. 1, 1941	$1.50
Balance to 1942	33.69	Grants	33.69
	$35.19		$35.19

Old Age Assistance

Cash Grants	$5,500.00	Appropriation	$5,000.00
		Tr. from Available Funds	500.00
			$5,500.00

Old Age Assistance U. S. G.

Cash Grants	$4,871.11	Balance Jan. 1, 1941	$31.57
Balance to 1942	67.38	Grants	4,906.92
	$4,938.49		$4,938.49

Old Age Assistance Adm. U. S. G.

Salary Welfare Board		Balance Jan. 1, 1941	$280.47
R. A. Chase	33.32	Grants	163.76
E. D. Penniman	41.66		
M. W. Wiley	50.00		$444.23
M. W. Wiley use of car	23.00		
Typing Expense	5.00		

Postage, Stationery Printing	29.27		
	202.25		
Balance to 1942	241.98		
	$444.23		

Soldiers' Benefits—State Aid

State Aid	$120.00	Appropriation	$250.00
Soldiers' Relief	260.50	Tr. from Reserve	100.00
	380.50	Tr. from Available Funds	50.00
Balance to Revenue	19.50		
	$400.00		$400.00

W. P. A.

Nursery School	$181.69	Appropriation	$700.00
Household Aid	38.00		
Transportation W.P.A. Workers	122.60		
Assessors' Project	58.70		
Research Project	20.00		
Supervision of Commodities	24.00		
Typewriter	10.00		
	454.99		
Balance to Revenue	245.01		
	$700.00		

Schools

Bills	$16,859.16	Appropriation	$16,900.00
Balance to Revenue	40.84		
	$16,900.00		

(See Superintendent's Report)

Public Library Trust Account

Librarian	$196.50	Balance Jan. 1, 1941	$4.21
Books	259.09	Refunded Dog Tax	139.38
Periodicals	34.50	Income Billings Fund	420.00
Fuel	45.75	Gift	100.00
Light	20.10		
Bindings	10.36		
Printing, Stationery, Postage	16.65		
Insurance	18.65		
Sawing, Cutting, Splitting Wood	12.29		
Janitor's Supplies	2.40		
Miscellaneous	3.21		
	619.50		
Balance to Revenue	44.09		
	$663.59		$663.59

Public Library

Librarian Salary	$82.50	Appropriation	$150.00
Magazines	30.50		
Insurance	11.75		
Lights	5.70		
Printing, stationery and postage	11.07		
	146.52		
Balance to Revenue	3.48		
	$150.00		

Tax Title Account

Recording	$228.41	Appropriation	$300.00
Oaths	12.75		

Use of Car	3.00		
Printing	34.45		
Postage	1.45		
	279.96		
Balance to Revenue	20.04		
	$300.00		

Expense Selling Tax Title Property

Printing	$6.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	44.00		
	$50.00		

Town Landings

Towing Raft	$1.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Labor Payroll	42.50		
Use of Bulldozer	45.00		
Labor on Stairs at Nauset Beach	3.03		
Plan Horton's Landing	5.25		
	96.78		
Balance to Revenue	3.22		
	$100.00		

Town Landing and Road at Camp Ground Landing

Land Damage	$187.19	Appropriation	$225.00
Survey	62.00	Tr. from Reserve	40.00
Recording	7.06		
	256.25		
Balance to Revenue	8.75		
	$265.00		$265.00

Defining Boundaries (Schoolhouse Road)

Survey and Plan	$148.00	Appropriation	$175.00
Setting Bounds	27.00		
	$175.00		

Land Damage (Schoolhouse Road)

Clerical Work	$5.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Recording	16.61		
	21.61		
Balance to 1942	78.39		
	$100.00		

Installing Radiator and Sink at School

Gas Range	$75.00	Appropriation	$350.00
Radiator	240.00		
Lumber, etc.	33.79		
	348.79		
Balance to Revenue	1.21		
	$350.00		

Free Band Concerts

R. A. Chase, Treasurer	$250.00	Appropriation	$250.00

Memorial Day

Labor	$1.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Dinners for Speaker and Police	3.50		
Wreath and Basket	10.00		
Services of Band	70.00		

Printing	3.50
Memorial Day Flags	8.85
Express	.40
	97.25
Balance to Revenue	2.75
	$100.00

Community Christmas Tree

George Howard, Treasurer	$19.71	Appropriation	$35.00
W. H. Snow and Son	2.43		
Leslie E. Chase (Materials Purchased)	11.00		
	33.14		
Balance to Revenue	1.86		
	$35.00		

Free Bed Cape Cod Hospital

Cape Cod Hospital	$300.00	Appropriation	$300.00

Town Reports

Town Reports	$250.00	Appropriation	$250.00

Insurance

Workmens' Compensation Insurance	$217.48	Appropriation	$300.00
		Refund	5.88
Balance to Revenue	88.40		
	$305.88		$305.88

Finance Committee

Stationery	$5.50	Appropriation	$10.00
Typewriter Ribbon	1.00		
	6.50		
Balance to Revenue	3.50		
	$10.00		

Old Mill

Insurance	17.50	Appropriation	$100.00
Mowing	9.00	Interest Old Grist Windmill	69.38
Repairs and Labor	7.50		
Miller's Services	26.00		
Corn	17.09		
Mending Sail	3.00		
Miller's Expense	5.60		
Sails, Pulleys	83.69		
	$169.38		$169.38

Sale of Meal

Corn for Mill	$23.27	Received from Sale of Meal	$155.40
Miller's Services	80.00		
Bags	5.15		
Balance of Sail Bill	.31		
Express	1.10		
Lumber	5.95		
Clamps, Bolts, Etc.	2.19		
Deposited	37.43		
	$155.40		

Miscellaneous

Recording	$66.48	Appropriation	$125.00

Land Damage	50.00	Transferred from	
Plan Staking Grant	11.00	Reserve	25.00
Box Rent	1.00		
Bounty on Seal	5.50		
Goss Print	3.00		
	136.98		
Balance to Revenue	17.02		
	$150.00		$125.00

Reserve Fund

Transfers:		Appropriation	$1,000.00
Shellfish Propagation	$165.00		
Shellfish Protection	25.00		
Health	250.00		
Town Hall	100.00		
Inspection of Wiring	10.00		
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	120.00		
Aid to Dependent Children	150.00		
Soldiers' Benefits	100.00		
Town Landing and Road at Camp Ground Landing	40.00		
Miscellaneous	25.00		
Orleans Fire Department	5.00		
Assessors' Abstracts	10.00		
	$1,000.00		

Old Cemeteries

Labor	$121.00	Appropriation	$150.00

Balance to Revenue	29.00
	$150.00

Interest

Interest on Notes	$323.75	Appropriation	$325.00
Balance to Revenue	1.25		
	$325.00		

Schoolhouse Note

Merchants National Bank	$1,000.00	Appropriation	$1,000.00

Temporary Loans

Cape Cod Trust Company	$20,000.00	Loans	$30,000.00
Unpaid Balance	10,000.00		
	$30,000.00		

Trust Accounts

Balance Jan. 1, 1941	$44,651.50	Balances, Dec. 31, 1941	
Interest Cemetery Trust Funds	5.97	Cemetery Trust Funds	$ 230.89
Int. World War Memorial Fund	11.11	Town Hall Trust Funds	2,434.00
Int. Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	13.83	World War Memorial Fund	453.55
Int. Christmas Tree Fund	1.11	Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	500.00
Int. Timothy Smith Fund	350.40	Christmas Tree Fund	74.69
		Billings Fund	14,000.00

Income Timothy Smith Fund	838.30	Expended from Cemetery Fund	14.00
Loans and Interest returned	360.00	1941 Loans	600.00
		Previous Loans	8,730.87
		Gifts	175.00
		Timothy Smith Fund	18,949.84
		Expended from Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	69.38
	$46,232.22		$46,232.22

Other Funds

Balance Jan. 1, 1941	$159.18	Balances Dec. 31, 1941:	
Int. Old Mill Operating Fund	.20	Old Mill Operating Fund	45.81
Int. Town Hall Income Fund	3.68	Town Hall Income Fund	191.06
Income Town Hall Fund	36.38		
Balance sale of Meal deposit	37.43		
	$236.87		$236.87

SUMMARY

Revenue Accounts

Cash	$19,085.07
Real Estate Taxes 1940	2,121.92
Personal Taxes 1940	6.48
Real Estate Taxes 1941	5,881.80
Personal Taxes 1941	246.04
M. V. Excise 1941	18.00
Moth 1940	7.50
Moth 1941	14.50
Highways, Chap. 81	879.83
Highways, Chap. 90	682.83
Highways, Chap. 90 County	341.42
Board of Health	260.00
Old Age Assistance	187.22
Tax Titles	2,806.11
Tax Possessions	2,244.66
Overlay 1935	.10
Loans	$10,000.00
Tailings	85.07
Overlay 1939	.75
Overlay 1940	231.13
Overlay 1941	1,137.40
Overlay Reserve	1,598.25
Motor Vehicle Excise Revenue	18.00
Special Assessment Revenue	22.00
Tax Title Revenue	5,050.77
Departmental Revenue	447.22
Aid to Dependent Children U. S. G.	54.85
Aid to Dependent Children, Adm. U. S. G.	33.69
Old Age Assistance U. S. G.	67.38
Old Age Assistance Adm. U. S. G.	241.98
School House Land	84.53
Land Damage School House Road	78.39
Landing Nauset Beach	28.37
Landing Cape Cod Bay	113.07
Sale of Land	1,793.40
Deposit Sale of Land	80.00
Public Library Trust	44.09
Over estimated County Tax	325.63

	Over estimated State Parks and Reservations	1.70
	Nauset Light Road	31.90
	Highways, Chap. 90	1,348.96
		$22,918.53
	Excess and Deficiency	11,864.95
$34,783.48		$34,783.48

Respectfully submitted,

L. ISABELLE BRACKETT,

Town Accountant.

Librarian's Report

1941

Number volumes catalogued	6,569
Number volumes bought	151
Number volumes borrowed	6,600
Number magazines borrowed	1,121
Total fines received, also for damaged books	$14.73

Again this year, we have borrowed books from the Division of Public Libraries, at the State House, for the Eastham school, also for Library borrowers.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. BLANCHE A. KEEFE

Librarian

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND THE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

OF THE

Town of Eastham

FOR THE YEAR

1941

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Stanley M. Walker, Chairman	Term expires 1943
Katherine A. Moore	Term expires 1942
Bernard C. Collins	Term expires 1944

UNION SUPERINTENDENT

Charles H. Pratt

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Walter Nickerson

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. A. P. Goff

SCHOOL NURSE

Mary E. Morris Sullivan

EASTHAM FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	Expended in 1941		Needed in 1942
General Control:			
School Committee	$215.00		
Superintendent of Schools,			
Enforcement of Law—			
Salaries and Travel	607.09		
Office Expenses	28.02		
		$850.11	$862.00
Instruction:			
Supervisors	804.00		
Principal and Teachers	4,425.00		
Textbooks	60.96		
Supplies	210.11		
		5,500.07	5,458.00
Operation:			
Janitors	600.00		
Fuel	474.02		
Lights, Gas, Janitors' Supplies	230.07		
		1,304.09	1,350.00
Maintenance:			
Repairs, Replacement and Upkeep	53.16	53.16	250.00

Auxiliary Agencies:			
School Library	13.31		
Health	3.87		
Transportation	3,420.00		
Tuition	5,079.54		
Graduation, Rent, Phone, Insurance, Telephone, etc.	469.42		
		8,986.14	9,610.00
Outlay:			
New Equipment	165.59	165.59	
Total		$16,859.16	$17,530.00
Appropriated for 1941		$16,900.00	
Expended in 1941		16,859.16	
Balance Unexpended		$40.84	

NET COST OF SCHOOLS, YEAR 1941

Total Expenditures		$16,859.16
Due on Account of School Expenditures:		
Mass. General School Fund Part I	$655.00	
City of Boston, Tuition and Transportation	291.12	
Mass. Reimbursement for High School Transportation	1,980.00	
Mass. Reimbursement on account of Employment of Supt. of Schools	220.31	
Receipts from toll calls	.90	
Receipts from sale of fuses	1.50	
		3,148.83
Net cost		$13,710.33

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Eastham:

Herewith I submit the School Report for the Year 1941.

A School Report is made for the purpose of recording current facts for present information. It serves also as a record for future use.

Eastham School continues to maintain a very high standard. Another very successful year has passed. Because facts are pleasant to relate does not make them any the less a statement of fact.

The building is being maintained in such fashion that it appears new and fresh. Its appointments are modern, supplies and books are adequate, instruction is excellent in quality and rich in content.

The school membership on October 1st was seventy-three. This is four more than a year ago. The 1940 October first membership reached the low point for the ten-year period. Please refer to the Table on another page of this report.

We should note the fact that in addition to instruction in the so-called traditional school subject matter, sometimes referred to as the three R's, the pupils at Eastham enjoy the benefit of instruction in vocal music, instrumental music, art, health education, including the correction of dental and other defects, and some hand-craft, including conservation.

I am glad to observe the interest, effort and investment

in school lunch equipment. This is a good example of the helpful cooperation which the school receives from groups of people who have united as a Health Council and the 4-H Club to make their contribution toward building a better school and a very attractive town in which to live.

We were sorry indeed to have Miss Verrill leave our faculty. In her three years with us she had achieved an enviable record as a teacher and attained the confidence and friendship of all who knew her.

Miss Newcomb is now teacher of the first and second grades and she is having a very successful year. We are glad to have Miss Newcomb with us.

We were saddened by the recent death of Mr. Hardwick whom we had known and respected for so many years as custodian of the school. We miss his friendly greeting and cordial personality.

Mr. Nickerson makes the following report as Principal:

"The main difference from any other year has been the establishment of the lunch room. Thanks to the foresight of the Building Committee, no great outlay has been necessary. The Health Council has sponsored whist parties, given unsparingly of their time and some material to see that the essentials were in readiness. Mrs. Freeman Hatch, when selling the furnishings of her cottages last Spring, put aside and gave us so many useful articles of kitchenware (especially dishes) that we almost feel that our room might be called the Hattie Hatch Lunch Room. Other individuals have also presented miscellaneous articles so that it is almost a community enterprise.

We have served a full meal on Fridays, and fruit or fruit juice on Mondays and Wednesdays. While we have been reeciving some Surplus Commodity supplies, we have

not, as yet, been granted the needed W.P.A. labor which has been so long promised by Mrs. Godfrey. Because of an anonymous school fund and the recent charge of five cents on Fridays, we have been able to serve a well-balanced meal which has been much enjoyed by the children each week.

Miss Newcomb has replaced Miss Verrill in the Primary Grades and, when she has had the experience of her predecessor, we know that her work will be of equal value.

We are continuing our club work with the assistance of nine excellent adult leaders who give their Thursday afternoons for this worthy cause. We are holding our grade assemblies every other Friday at which we try to feature all the special holidays as they come as well as safety, health, etc., programs.

The music, both vocal and instrumental, and our art work are of the same high quality. Miss Morris cooperates splendidly with her health department. She has conducted the usual dental clinic and the audiometer tests. Due to ill health, our janitor, Mr. Hardwick, was forced to leave after many years of good service. He is replaced by Carlton Mayo who is doing everything possible to try to please us.

All three teachers took a special course in elementary teaching methods with Miss Bradbury of Hyannis. It was, without exception, the most interesting ever taken by us, and of real practical use in all our school rooms."

The Supervisor of Art, Mr. Clarence K. Brayton, continues his efforts to stimulate original and creative expression. In the words of Mr. Brayton:

"We are slowly but surely building a good foundation in creative illustration and design. We are trying to get the children to do the thinking rather than the copying. This takes time but we are making progress.

The annual exhibition was held in conjunction with the 4-H exhibit. A splendid turnout was noted and many people spoke of the work we are doing.

The annual poster contest sponsored by the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals brought us several prizes in Mr. Nickerson's room.

It is a pleasure to drive to Eastham and work with Mr. Nickerson, his teachers and pupils. I am always well received and given full cooperation."

Instrumental Music is a real part of the Eastham School. Mr. Nassi is a helper in every way. His pupils learn something to enjoy and to share. He reports as follows:

"The entire school takes advantage of instrumental instruction as follows:

Grades one and two have fundamental rhythm work, with blackboard work of systematic rhythm training. This is carried on through the week by Miss Newcomb.

Grades three, four and five have symphonet instruction. The children are already very good performers. They can play a number of songs and enjoy the little instrument very much. Mrs. Horton carries on this work.

All pupils from the fourth grade up are able to take up any instrument. Every pupil gets private instruction from Mrs. Nassi.

I believe the Eastham Orchestra of 20 members is the finest grammar school orchestra on the Cape. The band has 14 members.

The Principal, Mr. Otto Nickerson, Mrs. Horton and Miss Newcomb are all enthusiastic workers and are cooper-

ating to the fullest extent. The result is the remarkable success."

Miss Kelman gives us an outline of her program thus:

"'We learn through doing'—this applies to music as well as anything else, and so we begin the child's experience in music by teaching the First grade as many as 100 rote songs in a school year. It is most interesting and satisfying to watch the First grade progress during their first year of musical experience. Usually, several children are unable to carry a tune at the beginning of the year. By the end of the year, it is only a few who cannot sing. Emphasis this year was placed on the choir composed of the best singers and used as a goal for all to attain. Also much activity in rhythm was experienced. The Second grade progressed particularly well in note-reading, and this year the Third grade has new books of the same Music Hour Series. These books are greatly enjoyed and appreciated. The Fourth and Fifth grades have enjoyed learning rounds as an introduction to part music, and have also progressed in note-reading. Two-part music here prepared the way for three-part songs in Grades 6, 7 and 8 where the group was particularly fine this past year. In the new Bronze books the older boys, whose voices had changed, found the bass part very interesting, and many songs using soprano, alto and bass were learned, and sung at concerts and graduation. Much to their credit all was done by memory."

The Health Program under the direction of Dr. Goff and Mrs. Sullivan is summarized by them. According to Dr. Goff:

"The Schools of the County have been very little interfered with during the year by communicable disease. In various parts of the United States, infantile paralysis has been quite prevalent and caused considerable alarm at times, resulting in the closing of schools. In this County there have

been few cases and no particular alarm has been caused. The majority of such cases as did occur apparently have not originated locally, but had been visiting outside of the County.

All of the regular work has been carried on in a satisfactory manner including diphtheria prevention, tuberculosis clinics, and the regular physical examinations. Well-Child conferences have been generally conducted throughout the County and have been very successful and well attended, under the supervision of the school nurses. All concerned have made every effort to the end that defects may be corrected when possible. School lunches have been kept at a high standard, etc.

As usual the cooperation of all school superintendents, school committees and other officials has been entirely satisfactory, and as stated before, an increasing interest is being taken by all concerned in the matter of schools, condition of the children, including attendance at clinics, school lunches, and everything connected with the proper operation of the various schools. A new audiometer has been purchased, which is available for the use of all schools in the County.

Every effort will be made to the end that work during the coming year may be efficient."

Mrs. Mary Morris Sullivan, Public Health Nurse, says:

"All parents are ambitious for their children. The future achievements of the nation depend upon how successful we are in the fulfillment of these ambitions. There are three gifts which it is within our power to pass on to our children. The first of these is health, the most precious thing which any individual can possess. The second is home education. A pleasant, happy, wholesome well-rounded home and social life will enable the child in later life to gain a proper idea of

the mental, moral, and material issues of life and to live happily with his fellowmen. The third is a sound school education which will permit the individual to make the most of his opportunities.

The importance of these gifts has been recognized. Plans and health activities have been executed to assure the future good health of the children. The large percentage of the physical defects of the Selectees impress us with the importance of the underlying principles which govern good health and the factors which lead to its loss.

Good health of growing children depends upon:

A. The development of healthy habits such as adequate sleep, rest, exercise, a well balanced diet, personal cleanliness and healthy mental attitudes.

B. The removal of existing physical defects, such as bad teeth, infected tonsils, adenoids, poor vision, impaired hearing, hereditary tendencies and others.

C. Periodic health examinations.

Habits are more easily formed in the early years of life and are more lasting. Good health habits developed in the very early childhood will pay big dividends throughout life. This pre-school age is also the age in which the greatest number of defects develop, hence our emphasis on this program. Health supervision of this group of infants and preschool children is carried on in an effort to assist the parent in carrying out the recommendations made at Well Child Conference, also in familiarizing parents with the resources through which defects may be corrected. The Well Child Conference continues to be held yearly, at which time an accredited pediatrician, financed by the Town, thoroughly examines all the children in this group.

The Town of Eastham is ever conscious of safeguarding the health and welfare of each and every member of the community. No health program could function without this splendid cooperation. The Health Council has played an important role in the health program. Through their untiring efforts Eastham School has an equipped lunch room. A proposed Feeding Project has been under consideration for some time, but the delay did not daunt these workers. Once a week a complete meal is served to all school children. This work has been a valuable teaching tool in nutrition of the children; another ambition realized!

STATISTICAL REPORT

School Health

Admitted to nursing service	38
Field visits	43
Examinations by Dr. A. P. Goff	73
Parents present	12
Inspections by nurse	472
Health talks	27
Dental inspections by Dr. Ralph Kenney	58
No. of dental operations	142
No. of Extractions	20
No. of Fillings	82
No. of prophlaxis	40
Amount collected	$26.00
Eyes examined	73
Defects corrected	1
Audiometer tested	73
Defects	1

Pre-School Hygiene Service

Admitted to nursing service	36
Field nursing visits	209
Well Child Conference—Attendance	24

Maternal Hygiene Service	
Admitted to ante partum service	3
Field visits	20
Deliveries	1
Admitted to post partum service	3
Visits	12
Tuberculosis	
Admitted to nursing service	6
Field visits	18
Crippled Children's Service	
Admitted to nursing service	3
Field visits	10
Defect corrected	1

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. MORRIS SULLIVAN

Public Health Nurse

The above will serve to summarize the work of 1941.

The new year is filled with ominous signs of war. Let us hope that the children may, by our continued effort, acquire a heritage sufficient for tasks that lie ahead.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. PRATT

Superintendent of Schools

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

October 1, 1941

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
1	7	4	11
2	2	4	6
3	7	2	9
4	2	5	7
5	4	9	13
6	4	4	8
7	7	2	9
8	5	4	9
Total	38	34	72

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP BY GRADES, 1931 - 1941

October 1, 1941

Grade	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941
1	12	9	12	11	8	14	9	9	12	9	11
2	17	15	8	12	17	8	14	13	10	7	6
3	17	14	16	10	10	14	9	13	9	7	9
4	14	16	17	14	15	11	10	7	11	11	7
5	11	14	12	17	11	13	10	12	8	8	13
6	12	12	14	14	14	15	14	11	9	8	8
7	6	6	11	11	11	11	9	15	10	9	9
8	12	8	7	10	11	11	10	6	14	10	9
	101	94	97	99	97	97	85	86	83	69	72

EASTHAM STUDENTS WHO ATTENDED ORLEANS HIGH SCHOOL

During the Period Sept. 8, 1941 to Dec. 19, 1941

Name	Grade
Acorn, Charles	12
Benner, Louie	12
Mayo, Kenneth	12
Arnold, Madaline	12
Brackett, Phyllis	12
Gunn, Charlotte	12
Nickerson, Jocelyn	12
Pearson, Eleanor	12
Turner, Beatrice	12
Wilson, Edith	12
Brewer, Howard	11
Brewer, Richard	11
Daley, Marston	11
Deschamps, Philip	11
Hoffman, Robert	11
Nickerson, Nathan	11
Hopkins, Barbara	11
Clark, Arthur	10
Eldredge, Luther	10
Eldredge, Walter	10
Escobar, Antone	10
Hayes, Robert	10
Hopkins, Wendell	10
Hurd, Prince	10
Wiley, Russell	10

Escobar, Mary	10
Fulcher, Ruth	10
Moore, Carolyn	10
Walker, Winifred	10
Chase, Charles	9
Clark, Robert	9
Fuller, Clyde	9
Gunn, Wilfred	9
Johnson, David	9
Reimers, Martin	9
Sturtevant, William	9
Brewer, Muriel	9
Deane, Ada	9
Nickerson, Norma	9

EASTHAM SCHOOL CENSUS

October 1, 1941

	Boys	Girls
Five years or over and under 7	5	7
Seven years or over and under 16	48	32
	53	39

Distribution of Above Minors

In public day school membership:	
Five years or over and under 7	11
Seven years or over and under 16	79
In State and County Institutions:	
Seven years or over and under 16	1
Not enrolled in any day school:	
Five years or over and under 7	1
	92

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Manuel Escobar
Jean Knowles
Barbara Reimers
Lois Steele
Maude Chase
Charles Chase
Robert Clark
David Johnson
Martin Reimers

FAITHFUL ATTENDANCE

Maynard Walker
Claretta Barker
Norman Reimers
Norma Acorn
Muriel Brewer
Virginia Steele
Francis Brown
Franklin Emond
Thomas Hayes
Gordon Nickerson

EASTHAM SCHOOL CALENDAR

Year 1941 - 1942

September 8 to December 19, 1941	15 weeks
January 5 to February 20, 1942	7 weeks
March 2 to April 17, 1942	7 weeks
April 27 to June 19, 1942	8 weeks

Fall Term, Year 1942 - 1943, will open September 8, 1942

There will be no school session on the following dates:

Monday, October 13, 1941	Columbus Day (Oct. 12)
Friday, October 24, 1941	Teachers' Convention
Tuesday, November 11, 1941	Armistice Day
Thurs. & Fri., November 20 & 21	Thanksgiving Recess

Graudation Exercises for the Class of 1942 will be held on Wednesday, June 17, at 7:30 P.M.

CORPS OF TEACHERS, JANUARY, 1942

Name	School	Preparation	Year Appointed	Experience Prior Sept. 1941	Salary	Home Address
Otto E. Nickerson	Grammar	Hyannis Normal	1924	22 years	$1,700.	Eastham
Virginia F. Horton	Intermediate	Bridgewater Normal	1925	18 years	1,450	Eastham
Pauline M. Newcomb	Primary	Hyannis Teachers College	1941	½ year	1,000	Brewster
Iris Kelman	Vocal Music	Tufts College	1938	3 years	160	Stoneham
Thomas Nassi	Inst. Music	N. E. Conservatory	1929	13 years	500	Orleans
Clarence K. Brayton	Art	Mass. School of Art	1939	2 years	150	Harwich

CLASS OF 1941

Graduation Exercises were held at the Eastham School, June 11, 1941

President: Clyde Franklin Fuller

Secretary: Martin Sidney Reimers

Treasurer: Charles Whitman Chase

Muriel Estelle Brewer

Robert Clayton Clark

Charles Angus Wilfred Gunn, Jr.

David Eldredge Johnson

Norma Francenia Nickerson

William David Sturtevant

Honors in Scholarship

Clyde Franklin Fuller

Charles Angus Wilfred Gunn, Jr.

Martin Sidney Reimers

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Including Recommendations of the Eastham Finance Committee

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the second day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles in this Warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in Eastham at 12:30 P.M. on Tuesday, the third day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Polls to be opened at 12:30 P.M. and may be closed at 6 P.M.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report including recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees.

EASTHAM FINANCE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1942 BUDGET

Salaries:	
Moderator	$25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	900.00
Board of Welfare	600.00
Assessors	500.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	1,500.00
Accountant	350.00
Expenses:	
Selectmen and Assessors	175.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	350.00
Officer's Traveling	125.00
Election Department	200.00
Surety on Bond	100.00
Assessors Abstracts	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00
Legal Expense	75.00
Janitor	648.00
Town Hall	600.00
Suppression of Crime	100.00
Town Fires	50.00
Orleans Fire Department	200.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	150.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	50.00
Inspection of Wiring	50.00
Moth Suppression	600.06
Private Moth	100.00
Tree Warden	70.00
Health	650.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	200.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	1,200.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2,000.00
Old Age Assistance	8,000.00
Soldiers' Benefits	800.00
Schools	17,530.00
Tax Title Account	300.00
Town Landings	325.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Community Christmas Tree	35.00
Town Reports	250.00

Finance Committee	10.00
Insurance	580.00
Old Mill	100.00
Miscellaneous	125.00
Reserve	1,000.00
Old Cemeteries	150.00
Interest	325.00
Schoolhouse Note	1,000.00
Town Dump	250.00
	$43,023.06

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommended that the Dog Tax be made available to the Public Library. Unanimous vote.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, provided the State makes a satisfactory allotment, for the repair and maintenance of Town Ways under Chapter 81, Sections 26-29 G. L., as amended.

Recommended an appropriation of $3,225.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1942, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, G. L.

Recommended that the Treasurer be so authorized.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1942, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, G. L.

Recommended that the Treasurer be so authorized.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Recommended an appropriation of $250.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass.; for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter III, Sec. 74, G. L., or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommended an appropriation of $300.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for free band concerts to be given by the Junior Community Band during the ensuing year, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommended an appropriation of $100.00. Six in favor, one opposed.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of Shellfish, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommended $500.00 for protection and $300.00 for propagation. Unanimous vote.

Article 11. To see what sum of money shall be taken from available funds towards defraying the tax levy for 1942.

No recommendation.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the local W.P.A. or any succeeding government agency of a like nature, for the purchase of material and other expenses.

Recommended an appropriation of $200.00. Five in favor, one opposed.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Sec. 48, Chapter 130, G. L., as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Recommended that the Selectmen be so instructed.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Sec. 57, Chapter 130, G. L., as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Recommended that the Selectmen be so instructed.

Article 15. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Sec. 55, Chapter 130, G. L., as amended by the Acts of 1933, Chapter 329.

Recommended that the Selectmen be so invested.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended that the Selectmen be so instructed.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended that the Selectmen be so authorized and that an appropriation of $50.00 be made for expenses.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of twenty-five cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and appropriate the sum of $40.00 for this purpose.

Recommended an appropriation of $40.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of acquiring fire equipment for the Town, determine how the same shall be raised or take any action relative thereto. (By request of Committee appointed at last Annual Town Meeting.)

Recommended no appropriation at present. Unanimous vote.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing a chassis for the Town sprayer and improving building in the rear of Town Hall, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended no appropriation at present. Unanimous vote.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money under the provisions of Chapter 90, G. L., same to be used to control the erosion of beach near Camp Ground Landing and that the Selectmen be authorized to enter into any contracts necessary. (By request of Committee appointed at last Annual Town Meeting).

Recommended no appropriation at this time. Unanimous vote.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1941 bills, under the provisions of Chapter 179, Acts of 1941.

Recommended an appropriation of $80.50. Unanimous vote .

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Civilian Defense, under the provisions of Chapter 487, Acts of 1941.

Recommended an appropriation of $1,000.00.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a snow plow.

Recommended an appropriation of not more than $250.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following by-law: There shall be an annual audit of the Town's accounts under the supervision of the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation, in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 35, Chapter 44, G. L.

Adoption recommended.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, at the Post Office in North Eastham and at the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said Meeting as aforesaid. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said Meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 17th day of January in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-two.

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
MAURICE W. WILEY
Selectmen of Eastham

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TOWN OFFICERS

FOR THE YEAR

1942

Moderator

George Howard

Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, Board of Assessors and Board of Health

Ralph A. Chase	Term expires 1944
Edward D. Penniman	Term expires 1945
Maurice W. Wiley	Term expires 1943

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector

Leslie E. Chase

Highway Surveyor

Nathan A. Nickerson

Registrars of Voters

Ralph A. Chase	Maurice W. Wiley
Edward D. Penniman	Leslie E. Chase

Trustees of the Public Library

Otto E. Nickerson	Term expires 1943
Mrs. Charles A. Gunn	Term expires 1944
Mrs. Dorrice M. Mayo	Term expires 1945

Constables

Harvey T. Moore
Charles F. Atwood (Designated Shellfish Constable)
Philip J. Schwind (Designated Shellfish Constable)
Appointed

Tree Warden

Ernest M. Moore

Town Accountant

L. Isabelle Brackett

Inspector of Cattle and Slaughtering

Harry W. Collins

Pound Keeper

William B. Steele

Field Drivers

Obed A. Fulcher Adin L. Gill Arthur E. Brown

Custodian of Town Dump

Charles P. Escubar

Fish Wardens

Ommund H. Howes Joseph W. Ryder Norman Dixon

Forest Fire Warden

William H. Forrest

Burial Agent

Herbert D. Nickerson

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Stanley M. Walker

Chief of Police

Ralph A. Chase

Special Police

Lewis W. Collins
Albion F. Rich, Jr.
Winfred J. Knowles
Charles S. Whiting
Adin L. Gill
Carlton F. Mayo
Horace A. Moore
James K. B. Adamson
Walter F. Nickerson
Leslie E. Chase
Herman A. Dill
Nathan E. Clark
Alfred O. Stowell

Milk and Sanitary Inspector

Alton Robbins

Supervisor of Old Cemeteries and Soldiers' and Sailors' Lots

Fred F. Dill

Inspectors of Wires

Maurice A. Moore
Reuben S. Hopkins

Finance Committee

Richard H. Whitford, Chairman and Secretary

Alfred O. Stowell	Term expires 1945
Raymond N. Knowles	Term expires 1945
Charles L. Holbrook	Term expires 1945
Carl C. French	Term expires 1944
Charles A. Gunn	Term expires 1944
Abbott H. Walker	Term expires 1943
Harvey T. Moore	Term expires 1943
Lewis W. Collins	Term expires 1943

List of Jurors

Charles L. Holbrook
Maurice W. Wiley
John S. Rogers
George R. Wiley
Lloyd A. Mayo
Harry W. Collins
Nathan A. Nickerson

Assessors' Report

VALUATION OF TOWN JANUARY 1, 1942

Real Estate, Land	$ 407,820.00
Real Estate, Buildings	939,490.00
Personal Estate	142,750.00
	$1,490,060.00
Real Estate (Dec. Assessment)	3,450.00
Total Valuation	$1,493,510.00

TAXES ASSESSED TO DECEMBER 31, 1942

Levied on Real Estate	$35,703.71
Levied on Personal Estate	3,782.87
Levied on Polls	448.00
Gain on Fractional Adjustment	.75
December Assessment	91.42
Moth Assessment	82.50
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,227.61
Rate of Taxation	26.50
Number of Polls Assessed	224
Number of Horses Assessed	3
Number of Cows Assessed	35
Number of Neat Cattle other than Cows Assessed	4
Number of Swine Assessed	1
Number of Fowl Assessed	1,258
Acres of Land Assessed	6,830.16
Raised for Town Purposes	31,406.28
Raised for State Tax	3,300.00

Raised for County Tax	3,991.10
Raised for Mosquito Control	480.15
State Parks	35.48

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE W. WILEY

RALPH A. CHASE

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN

Board of Assessors.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—EASTHAM 1942 RECAPITULATION

		Figures Used in Fixing Tax Rate
A. CITY OR TOWN: Include All Appropriations Voted Since 1939 Tax Rate Was Fixed		G.L., Chap. 59,23,25
1. Total appropriations as certified by city or town clerk to be raised by taxation, Chapter 41, 15A		$49,678.05
2. Total appropriations voted to be taken from available funds: (a) In 1942 $1,000.00 (b) Since 1941 tax rate was fixed $2,550.00		3,550.00
3. Deficits due to abatements in excess of overlay of prior years: Of Year / Amount		
(a) 1935 $ .10		.10
B. STATE: Tax and Assessments:	1942 Estimates	
1. State Tax	$3,300.00	
2. State Parks and Reservations	35.48	
3. Cape Cod Mosquito Control (Barnstable County only)	480.15	
4. State Audit of Municipal Accounts	722.32	
		4,537.95
C. COUNTY: Tax and Assessments:		
1. County Tax	$3,991.10	3,991.10
D. OVERLAY of Current Year		1,356.38
E.	**Gross Amount To Be Raised**	$63.113.58
F. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS		
1. Income Tax	$3,465.68	
2. Gasoline Tax (acts of 1939, Chapters 232 and 504)	4,106.87	
3. Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	1,700.00	
4. Licenses	450.00	
5. Fines	23.00	
6. Special Assessments (Moth)	40.00	
7. General Government	54.00	
8. Charities (other than federal grants for aid to dependent children)	1,200.00	
9. Old Age Assistance (other than federal grants)	4,500.00	

10. Soldiers' Benefits	200.00	
11. Schools—State and Boston	2,491.42	
12. Interest: On Taxes and Assessments	406.33	
13. Inspection of Animals	12.50	
14. Sealer of Weights and Measures	11.57	
15. Corporations Taxes	532.26	
16. Reimbursement of Acc't of State Owned Land	7.29	
Total Estimated Receipts	$19,300.92	
17. Overestimate of previous year to be used as available funds:		
(a) 1941 State Parks	1.70	
(b) County Tax	325.63	
(c) Available Funds	3,550.00	
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds		23,178.25
G. **Net Amount To Be Raised by Taxation on Polls and Property**		$39,935.33
H. Number of Polls, 224, at $2.00 each Poll Tax	$ 448.00	
J. Total Valuation: Personal Property $142,750 (Tax Rate $26.50)		
Personal Property Tax	3,782.87	
Real Estate $1,347,310.00	35,703.71	
K. Gain on account of fractional divisions of tax rate	.75	
L. **TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON POLLS AND PROPERTY**		39,935.33
M. Items not entering in to the determination of the Tax Rate		
1. Betterment and special assessments:		
(a) Private Moth	$ 82.50	
N. **Total of All Other Commitments**		82.50
O. Total Amount of All Taxes on Polls and Property and Assessments committed to the Collector to Date of Fixing Tax Rate		$40,017.83

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

January 1, 1942, balance in treasury	$ 19,085.07
Receipts to December 31, 1942	97,861.78
	$116,946.85

PAYMENTS

Warrants No. 1 to No. 31, inclusive	$101,539.17
December 31, 1942 on deposit	14,140.80
December 31, 1942 cash and checks on hand	1,266.88
	$116,946.85

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Treasurer.

Report of Custodian of Trust Funds

MUNICIPAL TRUST FUNDS

Timothy Smith Fund

Receipts

January 1, 1942, on deposit	$18,949.84
Loans prior to 1942	9,295.32
Income April	409.69
Income October	395.43
Interest Wellfleet Savings Bank	176.69
Interest Cape Cod Trust Co.	167.91
Loans Repaid	240.22
Interest on Loans	49.78
	$29,684.88

Payments

December 31, 1942, on deposit	$19,889.56
Loans prior to 1942	9,295.32
Loans 1942	350.00
Public Library	100.00
Gift Clause	50.00
	$29,684.88

BILLINGS LIBRARY FUND

January 1, 1942, In Trust	$14,000.00
Income January	210.00
Income July	210.00
	$14,420.00
Deposited in Town Funds for Support of Library	$ 420.00
December 31, 1942	14,000.00
	$14,420.00

TOWN HALL INCOME FUND

January 1, 1942, on deposit	$191.06
Interest to Oct. 1942	4.66
Income	84.20
	$279.92
April 15, 1942, withdrawn	$ 4.61
Check drawn for deposit Dec. 31, 1942	84.20
December 31, 1942, on deposit	191.11
	$279.92

OLD WIND GRIST MILL OPERATING FUND

January 1, 1942, on deposit	$45.81
Dividends to Oct. 1942	.91
Sale of meal	1.75
	$48.47

No withdrawls from this account in 1942.

OLD WIND GRIST MILL FUND

January 1, 1942, on deposit	$500.00
January Dividend	6.25
July Dividend	5.06
	$511.31

No withdrawals from this account in 1942.

EASTHAM WORLD WAR MEMORIAL FUND

January 1, 1942, on deposit	$453.55
January Dividend	5.66
July Dividend	4.59
	$463.80

No withdrawals from this account in 1942.

EASTHAM COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE FUND

January 1, 1942, on deposit	$74.69
January Interest	.56
July Interest	.56
	$75.81

No withdrawals from this account in 1942.

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Zara Higgins Fund

January 1, 1942, on deposit	$129.77
January Dividend	1.61
July Dividend	1.31
	$132.69
Dec. 28, 1942, Withdrew for care of lot	$ 2.00
Dec. 31, 1942, on deposit	130.69
	$132.69

Frank O. Daniels Fund

January 1, 1942, on deposit	$50.00
January Dividend	.61
July Dividend	.50
	$51.11
Dec. 18, 1942, Withdrew for care of lot	$ 1.00
Dec. 31, 1942, on deposit	50.11
	$51.11

Mercy A. Mines Fund

January 1, 1942, on deposit	$51.88
January Dividend	.64
July Dividend	.52
	$53.04

No withdrawals from this account in 1942.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Custodian.

Report of Collector of Taxes

Dr.

Balance due Taxes of 1940 Real Estate	$2,121.92
Balance due Taxes of 1940 Personal	6.48
Balance due Taxes of 1941 Personal	246.04
Balance due Taxes of 1941 Real Estate	5,881.80
Balance due Taxes of 1940 Moth	7.50
Balance due Taxes of 1941 Moth	14.50
Warrants Taxes of 1942 Personal	3,783.02
Warrants Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	35,795.73
Warrants Taxes of 1942 Moth	82.50
Warrants Taxes of 1942 Poll	448.00
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1940 Real Estate	5.22
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1941 Real Estate	.45
Audit Adjustment Tax Titles 1942	15.11
Moth Reported as Taxes 1940 Real Estate	1.25
Moth Reported as Taxes 1942 Real Estate	1.50
Abatements after payment (Refunds) Taxes of 1941 Real Estate	4.53
Abatements after payment (Refunds) Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	88.75
Abatements after payment (Refunds) Taxes of 1940 Real Estate	.24
Disclaimed Tax Title Taxes of 1934	106.65
Disclaimed Tax Title Taxes of 1935	100.71
Disclaimed Tax Title Taxes of 1936	92.50
Disclaimed Tax Title Taxes of 1937	96.20
Disclaimed Tax Title Taxes of 1938	99.90
Disclaimed Tax Title Taxes of 1939	99.90
Disclaimed Tax Title Taxes of 1940	131.22
Disclaimed Tax Title Taxes of 1941	94.35
	$49,325.97

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Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1940 Personal	$ 6.48
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1940 Real Estate	1,809.49
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1941 Personal	226.92
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1941 Real Estate	4,985.95
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1942 Personal	3,433.23
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	28,458.49
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1942 Poll	366.00
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1940 Moth	6.25
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1941 Moth	8.00
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1942 Moth	52.50
Abatements Taxes of 1934 Real Estate	106.65
Abatements Taxes of 1935 Real Estate	100.71
Abatements Taxes of 1936 Real Estate	92.50
Abatements Taxes of 1937 Real Estate	96.20
Abatements Taxes of 1938 Real Estate	99.90
Abatements Taxes of 1939 Real Estate	99.90
Abatements Taxes of 1940 Real Estate	110.70
Abatements Taxes of 1941 Real Estate	166.03
Abatements Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	591.22
Abatements Taxes of 1942 Personal	3.71
Abatements Taxes of 1942 Poll	82.00
Abatements Taxes of 1940 Moth	1.25
Tax Titles of 1940	339.66
Tax Titles of 1941	480.65
Tax Titles of 1942	851.56
Uncollected Taxes of 1941 Personal	19.12
Uncollected Taxes of 1941 Real Estate	348.50
Uncollected Taxes of 1942 Personal	346.08
Uncollected Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	5,999.82
Uncollected Taxes of 1941 Moth	6.50
Uncollected Taxes of 1942 Moth	30.00
	$49,325.97

MOTOR VEHICLES EXCISE

Dr.

Balance due Excise of 1941	$ 18.00
Warrants Excise of 1942	1,233.61
Abatement after payment 1942 Excise	6.92
	$1,258.53

Cr.

Paid Treasurer Excise of 1941	$ 18.00
Paid Treasurer Excise of 1942	1,194.85
Abatements Excise of 1942	12.09
Uncollected Excise of 1942	33.59
	$41,258.53

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Collector.

Report of Town Clerk

DOGS LICENSED IN 1942

40 Male Dogs @ $2.00	$80.00
10 Female Dogs @ $5.00	50.00
13 Spayed Female Dogs @ $2.00	26.00
	$156.00

Animal Rescue League exempted from fee by law

Fees Retained by Clerk—63 @ .20	$ 12.60
June 3, 1942, Paid County Treasurer	123.00
Nov. 30, 1942, Paid County Treasurer	13.80
Dec. 31, 1942, Paid County Treasurer	6.60
	$156.00

		Total	Fees	Paid Div. of F. & G.
22 Resident Fishing Licenses	@ $2.00	$44.00	$ 5.50	$38.50
54 Resident Hunting Licenses	@ 2.00	108.00	13.50	94.50
6 Resident Sporting Licenses	@ 3.25	19.50	1.50	18.00
8 Resident Female & Minors Fishing Lic.	@ 1.25	10.00	2.00	8.00
1 Resident Minor Trapping License	@ 2.25	2.25	.25	2.00
5 Resident Sporting & Trapping Lic.	No Fee	(70 years of age or over NO FEE)		
8 Non-Resident 3-Day Fishing Lic.	@ 1.50	12.00	2.00	10.00
		$195.75	$24.75	$171.00

BIRTHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1942

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
June 23	Jay Eliot Schofield	James Ernest Schofield	Geneva Alice Swain
July 13	Harvey Richard Moore	Cecil Francis Moore	Evelyn Sarah Coffin
Dec. 13	Carol Vickery Becker	Clyde Lynton Becker	Gertrude Mabel Vickery

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1942

Feb. 1	Cecil Francis Moore	Eastham, Mass.
	Evelyn Sarah Coffin	Orleans, Mass.
Feb. 7	Walter Cecil Sargent	Medford, Mass.
	Grace Dorothy King	Eastham, Mass.
Feb. 28	Charles J. Roy	Brewster, Mass.
	Irene E. Nickerson	Eastham, Mass.
Mar. 8	Leland Hinkle Williams	Orleans, Mass.
	Shirley Norma Nickerson	Eastham, Mass.
Mar. 18	Philip Henry McCall	Eastham, Mass.
	Adalyn Elmira Hann	Eastham, Mass.
June 21	Robert Dexter Vidler	Eastham, Mass.
	Helen Sweet Bowen	Apponaug, R. I.
July 23	Alvin Linnell Taylor	Orleans, Mass.
	Doris Estelle Doane	Orleans, Mass.
July 26	Robert C. Swan	Chatham, Mass.
	Olive C. Clark	Eastham, Mass.
July 29	John C. Curtin	Eastham, Mass.
	Alice Elaine DeLaurier	Medford, Mass.
Nov. 15	Richard Charles Nickerson	Eastham,Mass.
	Audrey Holmes	Orleans, Mass.

DEATHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1942

Date	Name	Age Yrs.	M.	D.	Cause of Death
Feb. 10	Nancy Jeanette Rich	3	11	3	Auto Accident
Mar. 14	George Burlingame Moody	74	7	25	Heart Disease, Arterio Sclerosis
Mar. 25	William Henry Atwood	72	1	6	Dilation of Heart, Angina, Arterio Sclerosis
Apr. 3	Harlan P. Lombard	80	7	6	Chronic Myocarditis, Broncho Pneumonia
Apr. 17	Charles B. Paine	83	6	25	Cardiac Decompensation, Senility, Arterio Sclerosis
Apr. 24	Richard Flood Smith	68	11	4	Arterio Sclerosis
May 12	Mary E. Rose	42	1	4	Pulmonary Embolism
June 30	Eva Weston Collins	75	7	16	Heart Disease, Arterio Sclerosis Diabetes
July 29	Lettie M. Harris	50	7	15	Carcinoma of Lung
July 30	Minnie B. Clark	61	11	14	General Arterio Sclerosis, Paralysis Agitans
Aug. 15	George Austin Smith	77	9		Chronic Myocarditis, Arterio Sclerosis

Date	Name	Age Yrs.	M.	D.	Cause of Death
Sep. 16	Sarah Bradford Feltis	83	10		Gunshot Wound
Oct. 11	Mary Etta Dill	90	8	18	Carcinoma of Cecum
Oct. 17	Hugh Hoyt Hoffman	67	10	9	Heart Disease, Arterio Sclerosis
Oct. 25	Fred Sandeman Vidler	57	8	12	Coronary Thrombosis, Coronary Sclerosis
Nov. 28	Elaine DeLaurier Curtin	29	7	2	Carbon Monoxide Poison, Inhalation of Smoke at Holocaust
Dec. 7	Alice Augusta Paine	79	1	22	Cerebral Hemorrhage, Arterio Sclerosis
Dec. 20	Harry B. Southwick	64	4	22	Thrombosis, Coronary
Dec. 31	Harry Wood	81	10	23	Cut with Razor, Loss of Blood

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

February 2-3, 1942

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable: Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said town on Monday the Second day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles in this warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in Eastham at 12.30 P. M. on Tuesday, the Third day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Polls will be open at 12:30 P. M. and may close at 6:00 P. M.

Article 1. To act upon the annual report including recommendation of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees.

Article 2. To see if the Town will elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded dog tax.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, providing the State makes a

satisfactory allotment, for repairs and maintenance of Town Ways under Chapter 81, Sections 26 to 29 as amended.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1942 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 6. To see if the town will authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of re-imbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1942 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 6A Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, not to exceed $500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for care and treatment of persons, certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74 of the General Laws, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for free band concerts to be given by the Junior Community Band during the ensuing year or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of shellfish, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Article 11. To see what sum of money shall be taken from available funds towards defraying the tax levy for 1942.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the local W.P.A. or any other succeeding government agency of like nature, for the purchase of material and other expenses.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate, or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 48, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329 Acts of 1933.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329 Acts of 1933.

Article 15. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provision of Section 55, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of twenty-five cents each for woodchucks killed the ensuing year and appropriate the sum of $40.00 for this purpose.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of acquiring fire equipment for the town, determine how the same shall be raised or to take any action relative thereto. (By request of committee appointed at last Annual Town Meeting.)

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing a chassis for the Town sprayer and improving its building in the rear of the Town Hall, or take any action thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money under the provision of Chapter 90, General Laws same to be used for the Control of Erosion of beach near Camp Ground Landing, and that the Selectmen be authorized to enter into any contracts necessary. (By request of Committee appointed at Last Annual Town Meeting).

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1941 bills, under the provisions of Chapter 179, Acts of 1941.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of Civilian Defense, under the provisions of Chapter 487, Acts of 1941.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a snow plow.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following By-Law "there shall be an annual audit of the Town's accounts under the supervision of the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporation & Taxation in accordance with the provisions of Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Packing house of Bernard C. Collins, the barn of Harry W. Collins in So. Eastham, the Post Office in Eastham and the Post Office of No. Eastham seven days before time of holding said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting aforesaid. Given under our hands this Seventeenth day of January in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-two.

RALPH A. CHASE

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN

MAURICE W. WILEY

Selectmen of Eastham.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, FEBRUARY 2, 1942

Meeting called to order by the Moderator pursuant to the foregoing warrant. The Clerk read the warrant together with the return of the officers. Tellers appointed, Henry H. Howland and Esther H. Tibbals and sworn by the Moderator.

Article 1. Voted to accept the report of the Town Officers and Committees with the following amendment Snow Account $600.00, instead of $300.00 listed in the annual budget, 19 to 2.

Salaries

Moderator	$ 25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	900.00
Board of Welfare	600.00
Assessors	500.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer & Collector of Taxes	1500.00
Accountant	350.00

Expenses

Selectmen and Assessors	$175.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector	350.00
Officers' Traveling	125.00
Election Department	200.00
Surety on Bonds	100.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00
Legal Expenses	75.00
Janitor	648.00
Town Hall	600.00
Suppression of Crime	100.00

Town Fires	50.00
Orleans Fire Department	200.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	150.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	50.00
Inspection of Wires	50.00
Moth Suppression	600.06
Private Moth	100.00
Tree Warden	70.00
Health	650.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	200.00
Snow	600.00
Public Welfare	1200.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2000.00
Old Age Assistance	8000.00
Soldiers' Benefits	800.00
Schools	17,530.00
Tax Title Account	300.00
Town Landings	325.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Community Christmas Tree	35.00
Town Reports	250.00
Finance Committee	10.00
Insurance	580.00
Old Mill	100.00
Miscellaneous	125.00
Reserve	1,000.00
Old Cemeteries	150.00
Interest	325.00
Schoolhouse Notes	1,000.00
Town Dump	250.00
	$43,323.06

Article 2. Voted to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service; elected Clayton O. Horton, Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. Voted that the Refunded Dog Tax be made available for the Public Library.

Article 4. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,225.00 for care and maintenance of Town Ways provided the State will make a satisfactory allotment to the Town for the same under Chapter 81, Sections 26 to 29 as amended.

Article 5. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1942, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year.

Article 6. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of re-imbursement of the financial year beginning January 1, 1942, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 6A, Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 7. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 for the Public Library.

Article 8. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be citizens of the town and unable to pay for such care and treatment.

Article 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for free Band Concerts to be given by the Junior Community Band during the ensuing year.

Article 10. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for protection and $300.00 for propagation of shellfish.

Article 11. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 12. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for W.P.A. or other government agency of like nature.

Article 13. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 48, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Article 14. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under provisions of Section 57 Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 329, Acts of 1933.

Article 15. Voted to invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Section 55, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by the Acts of 1933, Chapter 329.

Article 16. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge for licenses or permits issued for the taking of shellfish.

Article 17. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken for the Town under Tax Title procedure and to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 for this purpose.

Article 18. Voted to pay a bounty of $.25 for each woodchuck killed within its boundaries, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $40.00 for this purpose.

At 11:45 A. M. meeting recessed to 1:00 P. M. Reconvened at 1:00 P. M.

Article 19. After a lengthy discussion a vote was taken upon this article — prior to taking the vote, William H. Forrest had made a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $4000.00 for fire fighting equipment. Mr. Lincoln was accorded the privilege of addressing the meeting; he spoke on the question of the fire hazards. Mr. Albion F. Rich, Jr., reported for the committee appointed at a Special Town Meeting July 1941—; this committee was to make its report at the Annual Town Meeting.

Upon the motion of Chas. F. Atwood it was voted to appoint a recess committee by the Moderator to retire and bring in a report as to the cost of supplementary equipment for the fire fighting apparatus. Committee reported at 2:30 P. M. as follows after deliberation it was found the additional cost would be $1375.00 making a total appropriation of $5375.00 for the entire outfit.

Then voted on the question 24 to 24; this article was not carried.

Article 20. This article was indefinitely postponed.

Article 21. Mr. Harvey T. Moore reported for the Committee on Controlling Erosion at the Camp Ground Landing West Shore, after hearing this report which included a letter from the State Waterways Department it was decided the matter should be postponed at this time. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 22. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum $109.99 to pay 1941 bills outstanding at the close of business year Dec. 31, 1941.

Article 23. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000.00 for Civilian Defense under the provisions of Chap-

ter 487, Acts of 1941, $1,000 from levy of 1942, and $1,000 from available funds.

Article 24. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $230.00 for a snow plow.

Article 25. Voted to adopt the following By-law "There shall be an annual audit of the Town's accounts under the supervision of the Directors of Account of the Department of Corporation and Taxation, in accordance with the provisions of Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws."

Voted to approve the following resolutions:
Whereas: Practically all transportation of goods and people to and from and within this township at present moves on rubber
Whereas: The supply of that rubber is now severely curtailed "for the duration," thereby most seriously and perilously threatening our economy.
Be it resolved that this meeting regards the resumption of rail transportation as a vital necessity and lends its full support to the Selectmen's Committee endeavoring to preserve it.

Voted that the Town Clerk be authorized and hereby is instructed to send a letter of appreciation to Mr. Carlton Shurtleff for his fine public spirit in presenting the Town with a parcel of land for a Town Landing at the West Shore at No. Eastham.

At this time the Moderator announced appointment of the following persons to the Finance Committee for three years: Charles L. Holbrook, Raymond N. Knowles and Alfred O. Stowell.

Minutes of meeting approved and adopted.

Voted to adjourn at 3:27 P. M.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL ELECTION FEBRUARY 3, 1942

Polls opened at 12:30 o'clock P. M.

Elected:

George Howard, Moderator for one year.

Edward D. Penniman Selectman, Assessor, Member Board of Health and Public Welfare for three years.

Leslie E. Chase, Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year.

Katharine A. Moore, School Committee for three years.

Dorrice M. Mayo, Trustee of Public Library for three years.

Nathan A. Nickerson, Highway Surveyor for one year.

Charles F. Atwood and Harvey T. Moore, Constables for one year.

Ernest M. Moore, Tree Warden for one year.

List of officers appointed by the Selectmen:

Ernest M. Moore, Moth Superintendent.

Harry W. Collins, Inspector of Slaughtering.

William H. Forrest, Forest Fire Warden.

Herbert D. Nickerson, Burial Agent.

Stanley M. Walker, Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Ralph A. Chase, Chief of Police.

Winfred J. Knowles, Albion F. Rich, Jr., Adin L. Gill, Carlton F. Mayo, Nathan E. Clark, Charles S. Whiting, Herman A. Dill, Walter F. Nickerson, Alfred O. Stowell, and Leslie E. Chase, Special Police.

Adin L. Gill, Arthur E. Brown and Obed A. Fulcher, Field Drivers.

Charles P. Escobar, Custodian of Town Dump.

George F. Crocker, Milk and Sanitary Inspector.

Alton Robbins, Assistant Milk and Sanitary Inspector.

Reuben S. Hopkins and Maurice A. Moore, Inspector of Wires.

Fred F. Dill, Supervisor of Soldiers and Sailors Lots and Old Cemeteries.

Charles F. Atwood, Designated Shellfish Constable.

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Town Clerk.

February 6, 1942.

In accordance with the authority granted the Town Clerk at the Annual Town meeting, February 2, 1942, the following letter was mailed to Mr. Carlton Shurtleff of So. Easton under this date.

Mr. Carlton Shurtleff:

For your generous gift of land for a Town Landing Place the Town of Eastham wishes hereby to express its appreciation for your kindly spirit of co-operation.

Yours truly,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Town Clerk.

EASTHAM FINANCE COMMITTEE

Under date of February 3, 1942 the Moderator appointed Raymond N. Knowles, Alfred O. Stowell and Charles L. Holbrook to the Finance Committee for three years.

Eastham, Mass.
February 12, 1942.

Mr. Leslie E. Chase,
Town Clerk,
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mr. Chase:

At a meeting of the Eastham Finance Committee held on February 11, 1942, the following officers were duly elected: Richard H. Whitford, Chairman and Secretary.

Very truly yours,

RICHARD H. WHITFORD,

Secretary.

Eastham, Mass.
February 12, 1942.

Hon. Robert T. Bushnell,
Attorney General,
State House,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:

At the Annual Town Meeting, held February 2, 1942, it was voted to adopt the following by-law "There shall be an annual audit of the Town's Accounts under the supervision of the Director of Accounts of the Department of

Corporations and Taxation in accordance with the provisions of Section 25, Chapter 44 of the General Laws."

Attest: LESLIE E. CHASE,

Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass.
February 16, 1942.

The foregoing by-law is hereby approved.

ROBERT T. BUSHNELL,

Attorney General.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

WARRANT SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

MARCH 11, 1942

Barnstable ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham, in the County aforesaid: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Wednesday the Eleventh of March at 8:00 P. M. then and there to act on the following articles.

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms as provided for under the provisions of Section 52, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 3. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to invest the Selectmen with the authority as provided in Section 54, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, at the Post Office in Eastham and the Post Office in North Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting as aforesaid.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this Twenty-eighth day of February in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-two.

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
MAURICE W. WILEY
Selectmen of Eastham.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

MARCH 11, 1942

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the meeting was called to order at 8:15 P. M. by the Moderator, warrant calling meeting read by the Town Clerk, tellers appointed, Harold L. Arnold and William H. Forrest, and sworn by the Moderator.

Article 1. Voted to accept the provisions of Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941. (Unanimous vote).

Article 2. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 52, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941. (Unanimous vote).

Article 3. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Sections 57, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941. (Unanimous vote).

Article 4. Voted to invest the Selectmen with the authority as provided in Section 54, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941. (Unanimous vote).

Article 5. Voted that the Selectmen be instructed to act exclusively as provided by Section 56, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941. (Unanimous vote).

Minutes of meeting read and approved.

Voted to adjourn at 9 o'clock P. M.

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Town Clerk.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

DECEMBER 28, 1942

Barnstable, ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County aforesaid: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in Eastham, Monday, December 28, 1942, at 8:00 P. M. then and there to act on the articles in this warrant.

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds a sum of money for the Snow Account.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds a sum of money for the Tax Title Account.

Article 3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds any other sum of money that may be necessary.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, the Post Office in Eastham and the Post Office in North Eastham seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this Twenty-first day of December in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-two.

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
Selectmen of Eastham.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
DECEMBER 28, 1942

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the meeting was called to order at 8 o'clock P. M. by the Moderator, warrant calling the meeting read by the Town Clerk together with the return of the officer who served the same, tellers appointed, Harold L. Arnold and Winfred J. Knowles, and sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to raise and appropriate from available funds the sum $500.00 for the Snow Account. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 2. Voted to raise and appropriate from available funds the sum of $70.00 for the Tax Title Account. (Unanimous vote.)

Article 3. Voted to raise and appropriate from available funds the sum of $130.00 for Treasurer's supplies. (Unanimous vote.)

Minutes of meeting read and approved.
Voted to adjourn at 8:10 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Report of Town Accountant

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I have the honor of submitting the report of the Accounting Department for the year ending December 31, 1942, as follows:

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1942		$19,085.07
General Revenue		
Taxes 1940 Real	$1,809.49	
Taxes 1940 Personal	6.48	
Taxes 1941 Real	4,985.95	
Taxes 1941 Personal	226.92	
Taxes 1942 Real	28,458.49	
Taxes 1942 Personal	3,433.23	
Poll Tax 1942	366.00	
		39,286.56
Motor Vehicle Excise 1941	18.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1942	1,194.85	
		1,212.85
Tax Title Redemption	40.02	
Sale of Land	576.51	
		616.53
From State		
Income Tax	4,080.00	
Business Corp.Tax	1,045.99	
½ Highway Distribution	4,106.87	
Meal Tax	78.33	
		9,311.19

Licenses and Permits		
From County		
Dog Licenses		134.62
From the County		
Highways, Chapter 90	310.24	
Schools		
City of Boston	626.18	
School Lunches	286.35	
School Milk	18.76	
Telephone Tolls	1.35	
		932.64
Unclassified		
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes	7.29	
Use of Telephone	1.45	
Salvation Army	10.00	
Tax Title Redemption	8.00	
Recording	2.00	
		28.74
Interest		
Taxes	299.68	
M. V. Excise	1.98	
Tax Title Interest	4.69	
Demands	11.55	
		317.90
Sale of Meal	1.75	1.75
Gift to Library	5.00	5.00
Loans		
Anticipation of Reimbursement	6,450.00	
Anticipation of Revenue	15,000.00	
		21,450.00
Income		
Billings Fund	420.00	
T. S. Fund	805.12	
Town Hall Fund	84.20	
		1,309.32

Federal Grants		
Old Age Assistance	5,763.09	
Old Age Assistance Administration	192.04	
Aid to Dependent Children	898.50	
Aid to Dependent Children Adm.	18.73	
		6,872.36
Withdrawn Trust Funds		
Timothy Smith Fund Loans	350.00	
Timothy Smith Fund Gifts	150.00	
Cemetery Funds	3.00	
Town Hall Income Fund	4.61	
		507.61
Licenses and Permits		
Shellfish	277.00	
Shellfish Grants	36.07	
Lodging House	2.00	
Gasoline	6.00	
Amusement	1.00	
Pedlers	3.00	
Garbage	1.00	
Milk	5.50	
Pasteurization	10.00	
Cabin	.50	
Fish Weir	2.00	
Innholders	8.00	
Oleomargerine	.50	
Dog	145.20	
		500.77
Grants and Gifts		
High School Transportation	2,160.00	
Superintendent	220.31	
		2,380.31
Commercial Revenue		
Moth	66.25	
Town Hall Rental	80.50	

Sealer's Fees	11.34	
Library Fines	12.70	
		169.79
From State		
Inspection of Animals	12.50	
Bounty on Seals	44.00	
Highways Chapter 81	5,124.08	
Highways Chapter 90	620.47	
Board of Health	350.71	
Public Welfare	139.31	
Old Age Assistance	4,741.33	
Aid to Dependent Children	860.99	
State Aid	120 .00	
O. A. A. from other Towns	104.17	
State Forestry	16.30	
		12,133.86
Refunds		
Dog Account	20.00	
Dental Clinic	23.00	
Civilian Defense	1.06	
Insurance	25.31	
Library	3.71	
School	.46	
Refund of 1940 Taxes	1.20	
Old Age Assistance	15.00	
		89.74
Timothy Smith Loan Returned	290.00	290.00
Total Receipts		$116,846.75

PAYMENTS

Officers Travelling Expenses	45.33
Selectmen's Salaries	900.00
Moderator	25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00

Constable	50.00
Salary, Sec. Finance Committee	50.00
Assessors' and Selectmen's Expense	168.05
Salary, Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	1,500.00
Accountant's Salary and Expense	373.58
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense	466.37
Salary, Board of Welfare	449.84
Surety on Board	98.00
Assessors' Salaries	500.00
Assessors' Abstracts	63.19
Certification of Notes	4.00
Election and Registration	153.69
Janitor	634.50
Town Hall	667.57
Suppression of Crime	49.15
Civilian Defense	1,244.44
Town Fires	28.50
Orleans Fire Department	50.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	63.50
Moth Suppression	600.06
Private Moth Suppression	97.44
Tree Warden	70.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	12.00
Bounty on Woodchucks	22.75
Shellfish Propagation	108.25
Shellfish Protection	490.07
Health	265.50
Town Dump	216.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highways General	48.09
Highways Chapter 81	8,321.47
Highways Chapter 90	1,224.24
Snow	939.75
Public Welfare	1,224.21

Aid to Dependent Children	2,050.00
Aid to Dependent Children, U.S.G.	875.80
Aid to Dependent Children Adm. U.S.G.	10.00
Old Age Assistance	8,000.00
Old Age Assistance, U.S.G.	4,636.53
Old Age Assistance Adm. U.S.G.	191.01
Soldiers' Benefits—State Aid	210.00
Military Aid	352.00
Soldiers' Benefits	89.90
W. P. A.	95.10
School	16,667.75
Public Library	187.87
Public Library Trust	619.13
Tax Title Account	997.56
Miscellaneous	287.49
Old Mill	17.50
Sale of Meal	1.75
Finance Committee	12.23
Insurance	388.56
Town Reports	250.00
Free Bed—Cape Cod Hospital	300.00
Community Christmas Tree	31.64
Memorial Day	40.00
Free Band Concerts	150.00
Town Landing	170.90
Expense Selling Tax Possession Property	4.96
1941 Bills	109.99
Snow Plow	227.10
Old Cemeteries	146.73
Interest	280.75
School House Note	1,000.00
Loan Anticipation of Reimbursement	6,450.00
Timothy Smith Fund Income	805.12
Timothy Smith Fund (Loans and gifts)	640.00
Town Hall Fund Income	84.20
Town Hall Fund Expended	4.61

Zara Higgins Cemetery Fund Expended	2.00
Frank O. Daniels Cemetery Fund	1.00
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Refund	6.92
Refund Taxes 1941	4.53
Refund Taxes 1942	88.75
Dog License	145.20
Estimated Receipts	1.00
Temporary Loans	25,000.00
State Tax	3,300.00
County Tax	3,991.10
State Audit (1941)	722.32
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	480.15
State Parks and Reservations	35.48
Total	$101,539.17

CLASSIFICATIONS OF APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS

Officers' Travelling Expenses

Selectmen's Expenses			
R. A. Chase	$ 8.10	Appropriation	$125.00
E. D. Penniman	17.30		
M. W. Wiley	6.20		
LeRoy Nickerson	5.00		
Assessors' Expenses			
M. W. Wiley	4.50		
E. D. Penniman	2.98		
Town Clerk			
L. E. Chase	1.25		
	45.33		
Balance to Revenue	79.67		
	$125.00		

Selectmen's Salaries

Ralph A. Chase	$400.00	Appropriation	$900.00
Edward D. Penniman	200.00		
Maurice W. Wliey	300.00		
	$900.00		$900.00

Moderator

George Howard	$25.00	Appropriation	$25.00

Constable

Harvey T. Moore	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Road Surveyor

Nathan Nickerson	$500.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Salary Secretary Finance Committee

Charles F. Atwood	$ 4.16	Appropriation	$50.00
Harold Whitford	45.84		
	$50.00		$50.00

Assessors' and Selectmen's Expense Appropriation

Selectmen			
Printing Stationery, Postage	$22.63	Appropriation	$175.00
Shelves & Cabinet	12.43		
Dues Selectmen's Association	6.00		
Advertising	15.00		
Perambulation of Town Lines	5.00		
Miscellaneous Supplies	9.76		

Assessors			
Typing	26.00		
Printing, Stationery, Postage	66.74		
Miscellaneous Supplies	4.49		
	$168.05		
Balance to Revenue	$6.95		
	$175.00		$175.00
	Salary Treasurer, Collector, Clerk		
L. E. Chase	$1,500.00	Appropriation	$1,500.00
	Accountant's Salary and Expenses		
L. Isabelle Brackett		Appropriation	$380.00
Salary	$350.00		
Typing Expense	4.00		
Ledger Index	7.50		
Postage	.28		
Ledger and Classification Sheets	11.80		
	373.58		
Balance to Revenue	6.42		
	$380.00		$380.00
	Salary Board of Welfare		
R. A. Chase	$149.94	Appropriation	$600.00
E. D. Penniman	141.62		
M. W. Wiley	158.28		
	499.84		
Balance to Revenue	150.16		
	$600.00		$600.00

Surety on Bond

Treasurer	$63.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Collector	30.00		
Town Clerk	5.00		
	$98.00		
Balance to Revenue	2.00		
	$100.00		

Assessors' Salaries

R. A. Chase	$ 50.00	Appropriation	$500.00
M. W. Wiley	300.00		
E. D. Penniman	150.00		
	$500.00		

Assessors' Abstracts

Shirley B. Chase	$63.19	Appropriation	$75.00
Balance to Revenue	11.81		
	$75.00		

Certification of Notes

Leslie E. Chase	$4.00	Appropriation	$10.00
Balance to Revenue	6.00		
	$10.00		

Legal Expense

Balance to Revenue	$75.00	Appropriation	$75.00

Election and Registration

Printing Stationery		Appropriation	$200.00
Postage	44.69		
Registrars			
R. A. Chase	15.00		
E. D. Penniman	15.00		
M. W. Wiley	15.00		
L. E. Chase	10.00		
Election Officers			
Esther Tibbals	4.00		
Abbott Knowles	14.00		
Winfred Knowles	6.00		
Henry Howland	4.00		
Miss Ella Fuller	14.00		
Harvey T. Moore	7.50		
Harold Arnold	1.00		
Posting Warrant	4.00		
	$153.69		
Balance to Revenue	46.31		
	$200.00		

Janitor

Carlton Mayo	$270.00	Appropriation	$648.00
James Adamson	256.50		
Horace Moore	108.00		
	634.50		
Balance to Revenue	13.50		
	$648.00		

Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense

Treasurer		Appropriation	$350.00
Use of Car	$ 25.00	Tr. from Reserve	130.00
Printing Stationery, Postage	239.05		
Overhaul of Adding Machine	18.50		
Collector			
Printing Stationery, Postage	95.03		
Miscellaneous	5.24		
Clerk			
Printing Stationery, Postage	43.05		
Recording Fees	37.00		
Due Town Clerk's Association	3.00		
	466.37		
Balance to Revenue	13.63		
	$480.00		$480.00

Town Hall

Insurance	$176.00	Appropriation	$600.00
Fuel	250.76	Tr. from Reserve	70.00
Lights	50.00		
Telephone	68.81		
Repairs (Lumber, paint, labor)	62.93		
Boiler Inspection	5.00		
Pencil Sharpener	1.50		
Janitor, Supplies			
Shades	11.25		
Flag	3.91		

Soap, Towels, etc.	11.75		
Janitor, Supplies	25.66		
	$667.57		
Balance to Revenue	2.43		
	$670.00		$670.00

Town Landings

Labor	$170.40	Appropriation	$325.00
Nails	.50		
	$170.90		
Balance to Revenue	154.10		
	$325.00		

Suppression of Crime

Inspection of property		Appropriation	$100.00
C. F. Atwood	$29.15		
Harvey T. Moore	20.00		
	49.15		
Balance to Revenue	50.85		
	$100.00		

Civilian Defense

Lumber and Labor on Closets at School	102.94	Appropriation	$1,000.00
		Refund	1.06
Siren and Express	252.17	Transferred from available funds	1,000.00
Medical Supplies	125.34		
Brooms, Cans, etc.	112.88		
Lumber and Labor for Blackout Curtains	22.01		

Labor on Waterholes	140.00		
Lumber	23.19		
Stretchers	18.60		
Paint	47.77		
Eastham Share of Control Center at Orleans	377.10		
Keys	11.75		
Hardening, Sand	7.56		
Miscellaneous	3.13		
	$1,244.44		
Balance to Revenue	756.62		
	$2,001.06		$2,001.06

Town Fires

Labor	$28.50	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	21.50		
	$50.00		

Orleans, Fire Department

Labor	$50.00	Appropriation	$200.00
Balance to Revenue	150.00		
	$200.00		

Prevention, Suppression Forest Fires

Labor	$63.50	Appropriation	$150.00
Balance to Revenue	86.50		
	$150.00		

Moth Suppression

Advertising	$ 15.00	Appropriation	$600.06
Labor	387.06		
Truck	198.00		
	$600.06		

Private Moth Suppression

Labor and Truck	$97.44	Appropriation	$100.00
Bal. to Revenue	2.56		
	$100.00		

Tree Warden

		Appropriation	$70.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Stanley Walker	$40.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	10.00		
	$50.00		

Bounty on Woodchucks

Bounties paid	$22.75	Appropriation	$40.00
Balance to Revenue	17.25		
	$40.00		

Inspection of Wiring

Maurice Moore	$12.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	38.00		
	$50.00		

Shellfish Propagation

Shellfish Labor		Appropriation	$300.00
Payrolls	$108.25		
Balance to Revenue	191.75		
	$300.00		

Shellfish Protection

C. F. Atwood,		Appropriation	$500.00
Constable	$262.50		
Philip Schwind,			
Constable	187.50		
Signs and Labor	7.00		
Permit Books	32.80		
Postage	.27		
	$490.07		
Bal. to Revenue	9.93		
	$500.00		

Health

Barnstable County		Appropriation	$650.00
Sanitorium	$123.50		
Well-Child Con-			
ference	50.00		
Dental Clinic	75.00		
Health Officers			
R. A. Chase	5.00		
M. W. Wiley	5.00		
E. D. Penniman	5.00		
Refuse Disposal	2.00		
	265.50		
Balance to Revenue	384.50		
	$650.00		

Town Dump

Escobar Bros.	$216.00	Appropriation	$250.00
Bal. to Revenue	34.00		
	$250.00		

Inspection of Animals

Harry Collins	$40.00	Appropriation	$40.00

Dog Account

Walter F. Nickerson	$20.00	Appropriation	$20.00

Highways General

Bulldozer	$14.00	Appropriation	$200.00
Repairing Mower	1.50		
Carting	4.00		
Lanterns	2.74		
Gas, Oil, etc.	18.72		
Nails, Cement	7.13		
	48.09		
Bal. to Revenue	151.91		
	$200.00		

Highways Chapter 81

Surveyor's Bills	$9,834.65	Appropriation	$3,225.00
Bal. to Revenue	451.18	State Allotment	6,450.00
	$9,675.00		$9,675.00

(See Surveyor's Bills)

Highways Chapter 90

Payroll	$1,224.24	Balanced January	
Audit Transfer	124.72	1, 1942	$1,348.96
	$1,348.96		

Snow

Labor	$939.75	Appropriation	$600.00
Bal. to Revenue	160.25	Transfer to Surplus Revenue	500.00
	$1,100.00		$1,100.00

Schools

Bills	$16,667.75	Appropriation	$17,530.00
Balance to Revenue	862.25		
	$17,530.00		

(See Superintendent's Report)

Public Library

Blanche Keefe, Librarian	$75 00	Appropriated	$250.00
Books	73.44		
Lights	2.72		
Incidentals	2.83		
Livingston's Pharmacy, Magazines	33.75		
Postage	.13		
	187.87		
Bal. to Revenue	62.13		
	$250.00		

Library Trust

Librarian	$207.50	Balance 1942	$ 44.09
Books	275.40	Income Billings Fund	420.00
Periodicals	4.00	Gift	5.00
Lights	16.76	Refunded Dog Tax	134.62
Printing, Stationery, Postage	22.57	Refund	3.71
Labor on Top Mast	8.00	Gift T. S. Fund	100.00

Insurance	30.40		
Paint, Incidentals	5.75		
Fuel	48.75		
	$619.13		
Balance to 1943	88.29		
	$707.42		$707.42

Public Welfare

Commodities Administration	$43.75	Appropriation	$1,200.00
		Tr. from Reserve	40.00
Trucking Commodities	89.11		
Bags for Commodities	13.14		
Groceries	208.22		
Coal and Wood	52.61		
Medical Care	205.86		
Cash Grants	499.00		
Burial	100.00		
Use of Car	9.00		
Miscellaneous	3.52		
	$1,224.21		
Bal. to Revenue	15.79		
	$1,240.00		$1,240.00

Aid to Dependent Children

Cash Grants	$2,050.00	Appropriation	$2,000.00
		Transferred from Reserve	50.00
			$2,050.00

Aid to Dependent Children U. S. G.

Cash Grants	$875.80	Balance Jan. 1,	
Balance to 1943	77.55	1942	$ 54.85
		Grants	989.50
	$953.35		$953.35

Aid to Dependent Children, Adm. U. S. G.

Stationery	$4.00	Balance Jan. 1, 1942	$33.69
Use of Car	4.00	Federal Grants	18.73
Typing Expenses	2.00		
	$10.00		
Bal. to Revenue	42.42		
	$52.42		$52.42

Old Age Assistance

Cash Grants	$8,000.00	Appropriation	$8,000.00

Old Age Assistance U. S. G.

Cash Granst	$4,636.53	Bal. Jan. 1, 1942	$67.38
Bal. to Revenue	1,208.94	Federal Grants	5,763.09
		Refund	15.00
	$5,845.47		$5,845.47

Old Age Assistance Adm. U. S. G.

Printing Stationery		Bal. Jan. 1, 1942	$241.98
and Postage	$26.35	Federal Grants	192.04
Clerical Expense	9.50		
Salary Board of Welfare:			
R. A. Chase	50.05		
E. D. Penniman	50.05		

M. W. Wiley	50.06		
M. W. Wiley, use of car	5.00		
	191.01		
Bal. to Revenue	243.01		
	$434.02		$434.02

W. P. A.

Transportation	$83.50	Appropriation	$200.00
Jessie Boocook	8.00		
Leon Deschamp	2.25		
Miscellaneous	1.35		
	95.10		
Bal. to Revenue	104.90		
	$200.00		$200.00

Soldiers' Benefits

State Aid	$210.00	Appropriation	$800.00
Military Aid	352.00		
Soldiers' Relief	89.90		
	651.90		
Bal. to Revenue	148.10		
	$800.00		

Tax Titles

L. E. Chase	$412.30	Appropriation	$300.00
R. A. Chase	257.49	Tr. Reserve Fund	478.09
B. F. Sears, Recordings	176.52	Tr. Reserve Fund	149.55
		Tr. Surplus Revenue	70.00
R. A. Chase, Notary Fees	13.25		$997.64

Goss Print, Advertising	138.00		
	$997.56		
Bal. to Revenue	.08		
	$997.64		

Reserve Fund

Transfers to:		Appropriation	$1,000.00
Miscellaneous	$200.00		
Finance Com.	5.00		
To Tax Title Acct.	627.64		
Public Welfare	40.00		
Aid to Dependent Children	50.00		
Town Hall	70.00		
	$992.64		
Bal. to Revenue	7.36		
	$1,000.00		

Miscellaneous

Clerical Work Rationing Board	$116.75	Appropriation	$125.00
Service Record Cards	3.92	Tr. from Reserve	200.00
Ration Board Files	20.47		
Ration Board Binders	4.72		
Ration Board Exp. Attending Meetings	16.70		
Index Guides	6.72		
Ledger for Ration Board	3.14		
C. E. News	20.00		

Lumber for Ration Board	1.50		
Lumber for Memorial	14.65		
Bounties on Seals	44.00		
Oil Stove	5.00		
Advertising	15.00		
Due Orleans on Shellfish Grants	6.42		
Records of Town Broadcast to England	8.50		
	$287.49		
Bal. to Revenue	37.51		
	$325.00		$325.00

Old Mill

Insurance	$17.50	Appropriation	$100.00
Bal. to Revenue	82.50		
	$100.00		

Sale of Meal

Deposited	$1.75	Received from Sale of Meal	$1.75

Finance Committee

Stationery	$6.23	Appropriation	$10.00
Lunch	6.00	Transferred from Reserve	5.00
	$12.23		
Bal. to Revenue	2.77		
	$15.00		$15.00

Insurance

Dill and Chase	$388.56	Appropriation	$580.00
Bal. to Revenue	216.75	Refund	25.31
	$605.31		$605.31

Town Reports

F. B. & F. P. Goss	$250.00	Appropriation	$250.00

Free Bed

Cape Cod Hospital	$300.00	Appropriation	$300.00

Community Christmas Tree

George Howard	$31.64	Appropriation	$35.00
Bal. to Revenue	3.36		
	$35.00		

Memorial Day

Herbert Nickerson	$10.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Services of Band	30.00		
Balance to Revenue	10.00		
	$50.00		

Expense Selling Tax Title Property

Oaths	$ .25	Appropriation	$50.00
M. W. Wiley,			
Use of Car	2.75		
Benjamin Sears	1.96		
	4.96		
Bal. to Revenue	45.04		
	$50.00		

1941 Bills

1941 Bills	$109.99	Appropriation	$109.99

Snow Plow

Snow Plow	$221.00	Appropriation	$230.00
Expenses	6.10		
	227.10		
Bal. to Revenue	2.90		
	$230.00		

Interest

Interest	$280.75	Appropriation	$325.00
Bal. to Revenue	44.25		
	$325.00		

Schoolhouse Note

Merchants National Bank	$1,000.00	Appropriation	$1,000.00

Temporary Loans

Cape Cod Trust Co.	$31,450.00	Balance Jan. 1, 1941	$10,000.00
		Loan Anticipation of Revenue	15,000.00
		Loan Anticipation of Reimbursement	6,450.00
	$31,450.00		$31,450.00

REVENUE 1942

Appropriations	$49,678.05	Poll Tax Commitment	$ 448.00
State Tax	3,300.00	Real Estate Comm.	35,703.86
County Tax	3,991.10	Additional Comm.	.60
C. C. Mosquito Control	480.15	Personal Tax Comm.	3,782.87
State Tax and Reservations	35.48	Estimated Receipts	19,300.92
State Audit (1941)	722.32	December Comm.	91.42
Overlay 1942	1,335.88	Appropriation Balances	4,733.74
Overlay 1935	.10	Over Estimates State, County Taxes	327.33
Overlay Adjustment	.50	Estimated Receipts Balance	1,839.34
	59,563.58		
To Surplus Revenue	6,664.50		
	$66,228.08		$66,228.08

SURPLUS REVENUE

Transfers	$1,700.00	Bal. Jan. 1, 1942	$11,864.95
Tax Titles	1,671.87	Tax Title Redemption	40.02
	$3,371.87	Disclaimed Tax Titles	821.43
Surplus Revenue	16,120.51	Sale of Land of Low Value	53.00
		Tax Title Adjustments	48.48
		Revenue	6,664.50
	$19,492.38		$19,492.38

TRUST ACCOUNTS

	Balance Oct. 21, 1942:	Increase	Balance Dec. 31, 1942:
Timothy Smith Fund	$28,744.68	$940.20	$29,684.88
Billings Fund	14,000.00		14,000.00
Town Hall Fund	2,434.00		2,434.00
Town Hall Fund, Inc.	188.76	2.35	191.11
Old Wind Grist Mill	557.12	2.66	559.78
Eastham Christmas Tree	75.25	.56	75.81
Cemetery Trust	236.84		236.84
Eastham World War Mem.	463.80		463.80
	$46,700.45	$945.77	$47,646.22

SUMMARY

Revenue Accounts

Cash	$15,407.68	Tailings	$ 85.07
Real Estate Taxes, 1941	348.50	Overlay Reserve	1,820.23
Personal Taxes, 1941	19.12	Overlay 1942	679.45
Real Estate Taxes, 1942	5,999.82	Overlay 1941	971.37
Personal Taxes, 1942	346.08	Tax Title Reserve	6,299.40
Motor Vehicle Tax, 1942	33.59	Motor Vehicle Excise Rev.	33.59
Moth, 1941	6.50	Department Revenue	622.42
Moth, 1942	30.00	Aid to Dependent Children U. S. G.	77.55
State Aid Highway Ch. #81 of R.	1,303.40	Aid to Dependent Children Admin. U. S. G.	42.42
Board of Health	21.42	Old Age Assistance U. S. G.	1,208.94
Old Age Assistance of R.	101.00	Old Age Assistance Admin. U. S. G.	243.01
		Schoolhouse Land	84.53

Soldiers' Benefits of R.	400.00	Land Damage Schoolhouse Land	78.39
Temporary Aid of R.	100.00	Landing Nauset Beach	28.37
Tax Titles	3,795.62	Landing Cape Cod Bay	113.07
Tax Possessions	2,503.78	Sale of Land	2,396.91
Overlay 1934	106.65	Public Library	88.29
Overlay 1935	100.71	Nauset Light Road	31.90
Overlay 1936	92.50	Special Assessment Revenue	36.50
Overlay 1937	96.20	Income Timothy Smith Fund	50.00
Overlay 1938	99.90		14,991.41
Overlay 1939	99.90	Surplus Revenue	16,120.51
Overlay 1940	99.55		
	$31,111.92		$31,111.92

Respectfully submitted,

L. ISABELLE BRACKETT,

Town Accountant.

Report of Highway Surveyor

CHAPTER 81

To Appropriation	$3,225.00	By Payment	$8,321.47
By State	6,450.00	Unexpended	1,353.53
	$9,675.00		

Laborer's Wages	$3,122.50
Surveyor's Wages	672.75
Trucks	1,360.50
Power Grader and Operator	276.00
Bulldozer	17.50
Gravel Loader	122.50
Road Tar	2,472.10
Hardening	33.32
Sand	41.40
Gas, Oil and Grease	11.02
15½ Ton Rock	15.50
12 ft. R. C. Pipe	12.96
Crushed Stone	28.46
Kerosene	5.10
Cement	12.84
Lumber	24.32
Calcium Chloride	2.83
Rakes	3.75
Wire Push Brooms	31.00
Axes, Files and Handles	6.64
Bolts and Washers	1.44
Shovels	10.05
Paint, Oil and Brushes	29.20
Scythes and Stones	6.45

Nails	.36
Pails	.98
	$8,321.47

Under Article 22 in the Town Warrant, the Department is asking for an appropriation of $500.00 to establish a Machinery Fund. I will explain what this is for.

About two years ago we had a Gravel Loader delivered to the Department which we rented and paid for it by the hour for what time we used it. We got the machine with the understanding whatever amount we had paid in on it in two years would go toward the purchase price of it, if we cared to purchase it at the end of that time.

The time has arrived when we have to purchase the machine or they feel they should take it back. The price of this machine, when we had it delivered to us, was $1,002.00. Since that time what the Town of Eastham and the neighboring towns to which we have rented it to have paid, amounts to $538.88 which leaves a balance of $463.12 to be raised to pay for the machine plus the small amount of $36.88 to be used for the repair and operating expense for the coming year. After that time, there will be money in the Machinery Account to take care of all expenses.

This machine is very efficient, being able to load a truck with gravel in about three minutes. The machine does not do away with hand labor as it takes the same number of men to feed it, but it means putting out more material in a shorter length of time, also being able to screen it at the same time, saving raking the stones off the road after being sanded.

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN A. NICKERSON,

Highway Surveyor.

Report of the Eastham Finance Committee

For the Year 1942

Organization: February 11, 1942

Richard H. Whitford elected Chairman and Secretary. Transfers approved were as follows:

To Miscellaneous	$200.00	
To Finance Committee	5.00	
To Tax Title	478.09	
To Tax Title	149.55	
To Welfare	40.00	
To Aid to Dependent Children	50.00	
To Town Hall	70.00	
	$992.64	
Reserve Account		$1,000.00
Transfers		992.64
Balance		$ 7.36

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD H. WHITFORD
HARVEY T. MOORE
CHARLES A. GUNN
ABBOTT S. WALKER
CARL C. FRENCH
LEWIS W. COLLINS
ALFRED A. STOWELL
C. L. HOLBROOK
RAYMOND N. KNOWLES

Eastham Finance Committee.

Librarian's Report

Number volumes catalogued	6,652
Number volumes bought	188
Number volumes borrowed	5,965
Total fines received	$10.97

The Division of Public Libraries at the State house have loaned our Library and school many volumes during the year, for which we are very thankful.

The Library hours for the months of January, February and March have been changed to twelve o'clock noon to five-thirty.

Many new books are being added, both for adults and the juveniles.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. BLANCHE A. KEEFE,

Librarian.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND THE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

OF THE

Town of Eastham

FOR THE YEAR

1942

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Stanley M. Walker, Chairman	Term Expires 1943
Katherine A. Moore, Secretary	Term Expires 1945
Bernard C. Collins	Term Expires 1944

UNION SUPERINTENDENT

Charles H. Pratt

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Walter Nickerson

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. A. P. Goff

SCHOOL NURSE

Mary E. Morris Sullivan

EASTHAM FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	Expended in 1942		Needed in 1943
General Control:			
School Committee, Salary and Expenses	$202.50		
Superintendent of Schools,			
Enforcement of Law—			
Salaries and Travel	614.53		
Office Expenses	22.56		
		$839.59	$875.00
Instruction:			
Supervisors	802.00		
Principal and Teachers	4,205.00		
Textbooks	47.25		
Supplies	196.06		
		5,250.31	5,488.00
Operation:			
Janitors	575.00		
Fuel	676.94		
Lights, Gas, Janitors' Supplies	238.92		
		1,490.86	1,350.00
Maintenance:			
Repairs, Replacement, and Upkeep	49.98	49.98	250.00

	Expended in 1942		Needed in 1943
Auxiliary Agencies:			
Transportation	3,600.00		
Tuition	4,549.72		
Graduation, Phone, Insurance, Telephone, Etc.	887.29		
		9,037.01	9,600.00
Total		$16,667.75	$17,563.00
Appropriated for 1942		$17,530.00	
Expended in 1942		16,667.75	
Balance Unexpended		$ 862.25	

NET COST OF SCHOOLS, YEAR 1942

Total Expenditures			$16,667.75
Accounts Receivable:			
Mass. General School Fund Part I		$560.00	
City of Boston, Tuition	$460.76		
City of Boston; Transportation	165.42		
		626.18	
Mass. Reimbursement for High School Transportation		2,160.00	
Mass. Reimbursement on account of Supt. of Schools		220.31	
Receipts from School Lunch		286.35	
Receipts from School Milk		18.76	
Receipts from toll calls		1.35	
			3,872.95
			$12,794.80

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Eastham:

Herewith I submit the school report for the year 1942.

The term "schools as usual" as applying to a program which is "out for the duration" is probably true in less degree in Eastham than in most places. Changes here have been largely changes in emphasis rather than major omissions.

This school has not been hampered by loss of teachers and the subjects taught are largely fundamental in any emergency.

Mr. Nickerson expresses it well when he says, "All departments of our school have functioned in their usual good ways. Some little time has been given the air-raid drills, both for inside and outside tests. The outstanding achievement has been the adopting of the daily school lunch. Most of the credit for this should go to the Eastham Health Council who first sponsored it with the help of the Surplus Commodities foods. Until the W. P. A. workers were appointed, the Council members and other interested mothers gave many hard but well-spent hours to this worthwhile project. We are fortunate in having W. P. A. help of such high calibre for they not only do the work efficiently but the planning and buying as well. We hope they will be able to continue their good work, but in case the W. P. A. is curtailed, the Health Council, the School Committee, the teachers, and the community in general will, I am sure, volunteer their services to keep this project alive through the cold months at least. On November 1st the Penny Milk Plan was

instituted. This is proving of immense value, and is served as part of the regular lunch."

The penny milk program as sponsored by the government provides that the school may accept milk at cost of delivery only which in our case is one and one half cents per half pint. The government pays for the cost of producing the milk. A further stipulation provides that the milk must be sold to children at a rate not to exceed one cent per half pint. This means that a sponsor must provide the deficit which here amounts to one-half cent per one-half pint. Excellent milk has been secured from Mr. Gunn and the deficit has thus far been absorbed from the school budget. Consumption of milk has shown a marked increase much to the benefit of the children. Nearly everyone now drinks a glass of milk at school. I trust arrangements may be made to continue such a service.

The school lunch of which Mr. Nickerson speaks is a most valuable help and deserves, as it is now receiving, enthusiastic support.

A warm appetizing lunch at noon is one of the most important aids to an active mind in a healthy body. Eastham people maintain a school providing building, equipment, teachers, books, supplies, fuel and transportation. There is no reason why they may not, if they wish, support a school lunch in order to secure increasing returns from the previous investment.

I am glad to report the continuance of a school of excellent quality here. This statement is made as a matter of fact. It is no less true because it happens to be pleasing. It would be unfortunate indeed if it were not true with the kind of teachers and support which is found therein. Improvement and growth is the aim of any good school. It is true of this one. During the fall of 1942 there were thirty-four pupils who attended Orleans High School and for

whose tuition the town of Eastham paid $1,863.20. The rate for junior and senior high grades as fixed by the School Committee of Orleans is $140 per year beginning September first 1942. No deduction is allowed except for continuous absence of eight weeks or longer. Formerly the rate has been based on cost of operation for the year ending the previous June. Such variable amounts based on costs of a year before were felt to be less satisfactory than a flat rate and operating costs would be the same whether a pupil is in regular attendance or absent at irregular intervals. It would seem to be a duty as well as an opportunity for every person receiving this privilege at public expense to make the most of it. The town pays entire tuition and transportation is paid by the state on full reimbursement of cost. Attendance cannot be forced beyond the age of sixteen years yet one may be required to choose between regular attendance and loss of school privileges. It is hard to understand how one could need coercion before accepting such a chance.

The following is presented in order to show the facts regarding attendance for the school year ending in June 1942.

ATTENDANCE RECORD OF EASTHAM PUPILS ATTENDING ORLEANS HIGH SCHOOL IN YEAR SEPTEMBER 8, 1941 to JUNE 18, 1942

Name	No. Weeks for which Tuition was Paid	Days Membership	Days of Attendance	Days Absent	
Grade IX					
Charles Chase	34	177	161	16	*Absent 3 whole weeks
Robert Clark	37	177	157	20	
Clyde Fuller	36	177	163.5	13.5	*Absent 1 whole week
Wilfred Gunn	37	177	171	6	
David Johnson	37	177	176	1	
Martin Reimers	37	177	176	1	
William Sturtevant	36	177	157	20	*Absent 1 whole week
Muriel Brewer	37	177	176	1	Resident 35 weeks
Ada Deane	33	153	139	14	*Absent 2 whole weeks
Norma Nickerson	37	177	170	7	
Grade X					
Arthur Clark	15	65	60	5	9/8/41 to 12/19/41
Luther Eldredge	33	177	152	25	*Absent 4 whole weeks
Walter Eldredge	33	177	143.5	33.5	*Absent 4 whole weeks
Antone Escobar	34	177	149.5	27.5	*Absent 3 whole weeks
Robert Hayes	37	177	169	8	
Wendell Hopkins	36	177	158.5	18.5	*Absent 1 whole week
Prince Hurd	37	177	171.5	5.5	
Russell Wiley	37	177	173.5	3.5	
Mary Escobar	37	177	173.5	3.5	
Ruth Fulcher	17	89	57.5	31.5	*Absent 3 whole weeks non-member the rest of the year
Carolyn Moore	37	177	173	4	
Winifred Walker	37	177	172.5	4.5	
Virginia Parsons	16	74	71	3	

Name	No. Weeks for which Tuition was Paid	Days Membership	Days of Attendance	Days Absent	
Grade XI					
Howard Brewer	37	177	171.5	5.5	
Richard Brewer	37	177	163	0	
Marston Daley	37	177	177	14	
Philip Descamps	36	177	148.5	28.5	*Absent 1 whole week
Robert Hoffman	37	177	171.5	18.5	
Nathan Nickerson	37	177	158.5	5.5	
Barbara Hopkins	37	177	168.5	8.5	
Grade XI					
Charles Acorn	37	177	170	7	
Louie Benner	37	177	173	4	
Kenneth Mayo	35	177	143.5	33.5	*Absent 2 whole weeks
Madaline Arnold	37	177	147	30	
Phyllis Brackett	37	177	168.5	8.5	
Charlotte Gunn	37	177	166	11	
Joselyn Nickerson	35	177	159.5	17.5	*Absent 2 weeks
Eleanor Pearson	37	177	170	7	
Beatrice Turner	37	177	164.5	12.5	
Edith Wilson	35	177	148	29	*Absent 2 whole weeks
		6753	6240	513	

6240÷6753=92.4% Attendance. No bill was received for tuition in cases of complete weeks of absence.

The present (1942-43) rate of $140.00 per year means a cost of approximately $.78 per pupil a day based on an estimated 180-day year.

There were 177 days of school in the school year of 37 weeks. Three days were occupied with rationing program.

From the school registers of Eastham School and the above table we find percent of attendance of the groups shown below:

Grades I and II—88.81%. Grades III, IV and V—93.97%. Grades VI, VII and VIII—93.97%. Grades IX, X, XI and XII—92.4%.

The work of music and art may be reported in words of the supervisors who report in part as follows:

Instrumental Music by Mr. Nassi

"Music is indispensable in our everyday life as well as in the battlefield. No wonder therefore that the government urges us to increase the use of music in the schools as well as in all community events in order to bolster our morale. In small communities such as ours, the school music organizations are practically the only ones left to furnish music for community functions. Even those few adult organizations which manage to exist have to depend to a large measure on support from the Schools. Such being the case, the schools have a tremendous obligation to the community in doing their part. From ancient days to present time all evidence points to music as having the most salutary, the most permanent, the most satisfying effect of any activity known to man. The Eastham instrumental groups consist of the following:

Beginners	11
Orchestra	22
Band	16

The Eastham School Orchestra is the finest grammar school orchestra on the Cape. This is due to the splendid cooperation of Principal Nickerson and Mrs. Horton. I say, give me real unbiased sincere cooperation, the kind there is at Eastham, and I will give you the kind of orchestra that any school may be proud of. The fact that three members of the New England Festival orchestra are Eastham children show beyond any doubt the quality of the Eastham school music group. Miss Newcomb also is doing fine work in elementary Eurythmics with the first and second grades. Mrs. Nassi is proving indispensable, taking care of practically all private instruction as well as conducting elementary groups."

Vocal Music by Miss Anifantis

"Music builds morale and national unity. That is why music, especially in our schools, is so very important today. Stirring patriotic songs make our children conscious of what we hold dear and of the task that lies before us. "Let's Sing Our Way to Victory." History has shown us that music has played a very vital part in war times. "Wars are won", said General Pershing, "by good songs as well as good soldiers."

"In our repertoire we shall still have our folk songs, art songs, hymns, school songs and fun songs. Instead of stressing chorals, cantatas, arias and polyphonic singing, we are devoting more time to the singing of patriotic songs – songs that will unite us for Victory and songs which glorify the virtues of freedom and the values of democracy. In the elementary school, there has been no change in the fundamental program. However, we have added the singing of many patriotic songs. In the first grade the music consists mainly of rote songs and rhythm work. Note reading is developed in the second and third grades. In the fourth grade we introduce two-part music with the singing of rounds. Two-part music is further developed in the fifth grade and preparation is made for three-part music in the sixth grade. In the seventh and eighth grades our specific aims are the same as formerly."

Art

Mr. Brayton has supplied new themes to motivate his work and reports, "We have made several changes in our program from grades one to eight, inclusive. The war time topics that we are working on are:

1. Our Town
2. Our Community During War

3. Our Faraway Allies
4. United Nations For Victory

The main purpose of the War Time Art Program is to put before the pupils and the general public the fact that there is a WAR TO BE WON and that we at home can do a lot to help reach that goal."

School Nurse

The following report of the nurse covers her program in community and in the school: "Year after year, there is a sameness to the health report submitted, yet each year new and greater effort is made to improve the program, and broaden its objectives. The Public Health Nurse enters most intimately into the lives of the people, wins their confidence and interprets the purposes of the health department to everyone in the community. The services include the interpretation and application of medical, sanitary and social procedures for the correction of defects, prevention of disease and the promotion of health.

Child Health Program

In this program we must include the prenatal activities, infant hygiene, pre-school hygiene and school hygiene. It is thoroughly understood that an adequate program requires a continuous, comprehensive and individualized supervision of the child.

Infant and Preschool Hygiene

A Well Child Conference was conducted by the Town of Eastham. This service offered instruction of the parent in the techniques of child care and in the principles of nutrition and methods of protection against illness.

School Hygiene

The school health program has reached a high state of development due to the great interest of the teachers and school authorities in the welfare of the pupils, in the promotion of good health habits and the correction of physical defects. Medical examinations were conducted by Dr. A. P. Goff. Invitations were sent home to parents. It is hoped, if possible, one of the parents might be present at the examinations to bring out a careful history, and in order that the parent may understand the purpose of the examination and the significance of the recommendations. School lunches have made a very important teaching exercise in nutrition. The utilization of the school cafeteria in presenting proper food to children in an attractive way has been effective. The promotion of dental health continues to be an important function of the health department. A dental clinic was held and well attended. The importance of healthy, sound teeth is unquestioned. In view of our present limitations in procuring necessary dental attention this service is more important than ever.

Communicable Disease Control

Assistance was given in the prevention of the spread of disease through instruction of isolation, quarantine and in immunization, also in obtaining medical supervision of cases. A survey was made of all children not protected against diphtheria. Fifteen school children and eight preschool children were immunized. There was an outbreak of scarlet fever. Due to the splendid cooperation of the parents of the children who contracted the disease, it was kept under control, with few complications.

Health Education

The nurse has assisted the teachers in their health programs by supplying health material and showing health

films. Thanks are extended to all who assisted in the health program. The Health Council continues to function and has made possible many of the accomplishments in the public health field.

Statistical Report

School Hygiene	
Admitted to nursing service	41
Field visits	63
Examinations by Dr. Goff	61
Parents present	8
Inspections by nurse	1,098
Health talks	33
Dental Inspections	
Dr. Ralph Kenny	53
No. of dental operations	136
No. of fillings and extractions	96
No. of prophylaxis	40
Amounts collected	$23.00
Eyes Examined	61
Defects corrected	2
Audiometer tested	61
Defective hearing	3
Under medical care	2
Preschool Hygiene	
Admitted to nursing service	34
Field nursing visits	197
Well Child Conference attendance	26
Tuberculosis	
Admitted to nursing service	5
Field visits	21

Habit training clinic	
Admitted to nursing service	1
Field visits	3
Crippled children's service	
Admitted to nursing service	3
Field nursing visits	17

Respectfully submitted,

MARY MORRIS SULLIVAN, R.N.

Health and physical education are the foundation of the Victory Corps program which is organized to win the war and make the peace. Let those whose efforts and cooperation have meant so much be of good courage. Continuation of this support will return abundant dividends.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. PRATT,

Superintendent of Schools.

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

October 1, 1942

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
1	2	1	3
2	7	4	11
3	1	4	5
4	6	2	8
5	2	5	7
6	1	8	9
7	3	3	6
8	7	3	10
	29	30	59

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP BY GRADES

1932-1942

October 1, 1942

Gr.	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942
1	9	12	11	8	14	9	9	12	9	11	3
2	15	8	12	17	8	14	13	10	7	6	11
3	14	16	10	10	14	9	13	9	7	9	5
4	16	17	14	15	11	10	7	11	11	7	8
5	14	12	17	11	13	10	12	8	8	13	7
6	12	14	14	14	15	14	11	9	8	8	9
7	6	11	11	11	11	9	15	10	9	9	6
8	8	7	10	11	11	10	6	14	10	9	10
	94	97	99	97	97	85	86	83	69	72	59

EASTHAM STUDENTS WHO ATTENDED ORLEANS HIGH SCHOOL

During the Period Sept. 8, 1942 to Dec. 24, 1942

Name	Grade
Brewer, Howard	12
Brewer, Richard	12
Nickerson, Nathan	12
Hoffman, Robert	12
Hopkins, Barbara	12
Parsons, Esther	12
Chase, Russell	11
Eldredge, Luther	11
Eldredge, Walter	11
Escobar, Antone	11
Hayes, Robert	11
Hopkins, Wendell	11
Wiley, Russell	11
Escobar, Mary	11
Moore, Carolyn	11
Parsons, Virginia	11
Perreault, Betty	11
Walker, Winifred	11
Clark, Robert	10
Chase, Charles	10
Gunn, Winifred	10
Johnson, David	10
Reimers, Martin	10
Sturtevant, William	10
Brewer, Muriel	10
Nickerson, Norma	10

Name	Grade
Brewer, Donald	9
Emond, Franklin	9
Hayes, William	9
Nickerson, Gordon	9
Benner, Dorothea	9
Brookshire, Virginia	9
Fulcher, Janet	9
Meunier, Loretta	9
Moulton, Marjorie	9

EASTHAM SHOOL CENSUS

October 1, 1942

	Boys	Girls
Five years or over and under 7	4	3
Seven years or over and under 16	42	35
	46	38

Distribution of Above Minors

In public day school membership:	
Five years or over and under 7	4
Seven years or over and under 16	74
In State and County Institutions:	
Seven years or over and under 16	1
Not enrolled in any day school:	
Five years or over and under 7	3
Seven years or over and under 16	2
	84

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

For the school year ending June 17, 1942

Esther Larkin
Murray D. Larkin
Thomas Hayes
Barbara Reimers

FAITHFUL ATTENDANCE

Dorothea Benner
Leonard Brewer
Maude Chase
William Hayes
William McCray
Norman Reimers
Paulina Schwind
Barbara A. Walker

Robert Cross

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Year 1942 - 1943

Elementary Schools:

Sept. 8 to Dec. 24. 1942	16 weeks	73 days
Jan. 4 to Feb. 19, 1943	7 weeks	35 days
Mar. 1 to Apr. 16, 1943	7 weeks	35 days
Apr. 26 to June 18, 1943	8 weeks	39 days
	38 weeks	182 days

Junior and Senior High Schools:

Sept. 8 to Dec. 24. 1942	16 weeks	73 days
Jan. 4 to Apr. 16, 1943	15 weeks	74 days
Apr. 26 to June 18, 1943	8 weeks	39 days
	39 weeks	186 days

Graduations:

Eastham	Wed., June 16, 1943	7:30 P.M.	179 days
Orleans	Thurs., June 17, 1943	8:00 P.M.	184 days
Chatham	Fri., June 18, 1943	2:00 P.M.	185 days
Harwich	Fri., June 18, 1943	8:00 P.M.	185 days

There will be no school session held on Graduation days. Schools will not be held on the following days:

Labor Day—September 7, 1942—Monday
Columbus Day—October 12, 1942—Monday
Armistice Day—November 11, 1942—Wednesday

County Institute—Friday
Thanksgiving—Nov. 26 & 27, 1942—Thursday & Friday
Christmas Day—December 25, 1942—Friday
Washington's Birthday—February 22, 1943—Monday
Memorial Day, observed—May 31, 1943—Monday
New Year's Day and Patriot's Day come during vacation periods.

The Fall Term of the School Year 1943 - 1944 is scheduled from Sept. 7, 1943 to Dec. 24, 1943—16 weeks—with the usual days when schools are not in session on account of holidays and County Institute.

Schools close at noon the day before Christmas, Dec. 24, 1942.

CORPS OF TEACHERS, JANUARY, 1943

Name	School	Preparation	Year Appointed	Experience Prior Sept. 1942	Salary	Home Address
Otto E. Nickerson	Grammar	Hyannis Normal	1924	23 years	$1,700.	Eastham
Virginia F. Horton	Intermediate	Bridgewater Normal	1925	19 years	1,450.	Eastham
Pauline M. Newcomb	Primary	Hyannis Teachers College	1941	1½ years	1,100.	Brewster
Eleanor Anifantis	Vocal Music	Lowell Teachers College	1942	0	130.	Arlington
Thomas Nassi	Inst. Music	N. E. Conservatory	1929	14 years	500.	Orleans
Clarence K. Brayton	Art	Mass. School of Art	1939	3 years	160.	Harwich

CLASS OF 1942

Graduation Exercises were held at the Eastham School June 17, 1942.

Dorothea Marie Benner
Donald Francis Brewer
Franklin Joseph Emond
Ellen Janet Fulcher
William Harold Hayes
William Daniel McCray
Loretta Emilie Meunier
Marjorie Eleanor Moulton
Gordon Merwin Nickerson

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Including Recommendations of the Eastham Finance Committee

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable; Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the first day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles in this Warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in Eastham at 12:30 P.M. on Tuesday, the second day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Polls to be opened at 12:30 P.M. and may be closed at 6:00 P.M.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report including recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees.

EASTHAM FINANCE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1943 BUDGET

Salaries:	
Moderator	$ 25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	900.00
Board of Welfare	600.00
Assessors	500.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	1,500.00
Accountant	350.00
Expenses:	
Selectmen and Assessors	175.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector Expenses	600.00
Officers' Traveling	100.00
Election Department	100.00
Surety on Bond	100.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00
Legal Expense	75.00
Janitor	648.00
Town Hall	600.00
Suppression of Crime	100.00
Town Fires	50.00
Orleans Fire Department	200.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	100.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	50.00
Inspection of Wiring	30.00
Moth Suppression	600.06
Private Moth	100.00
Tree Warden	70.00
Health	200.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	200.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	1,200.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2,300.00
Old Age Assistance	7,500.00
Soldiers' Benefits	600.00
Schools	17,563.00
Tax Title	400.00
Town Landings	50.00
Memorial Day	30.00

Community Christmas Tree	35.00
Town Reports	300.00
Finance Committee	10.00
Insurance	500.00
Miscellaneous	125.00
Reserve	1,000.00
Old Cemeteries	150.00
Interest	300.00
Schoolhouse Note	1,000.00
Town Dump	200.00
	$41,861.06

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommended that the Dog Tax be made available to the Public Library, Unanimous vote.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, provided the State makes a satisfactory allotment, for repair and maintenance of Town Ways under Chapter 81, Sections 26-29, G. L. as amended.

Recommend an appropriation of $3,225.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Sec. 17, Chapter 44, G. L.

Recommend that the Treasurer be so authorized.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Sec. 17, Chapter 44, G. L.

Recommended that the Treasurer be so authorized.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Recommended an appropriation of $150.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter III, Sec. 74, G. L., or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommended an appropriation of $300.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will adopt the following By-law: "All Town Officers are to report the amount of fees received by them by virtue of their office, to the Selectmen, who shall publish the same in the Annual Town Report." As provided in the General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 21, Part 13. (By request).

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of Shellfish, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

Article 11. To see what sum of money shall be taken from available funds towards defraying the tax levy for 1943.

Recommended that no money be taken. Unanimous vote.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to charge the Overlay Reserve Fund the sum of $695.41 which is the balance ordered by the Land Court refunded and tax title dismissed, in the name of James P. Brewer et al.

Recommended that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels, and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Sec. 52, Chapter 130, G. L., as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Sec. 57, Chapter 130, G. L., as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

Article 15. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Sec. 54, Chapter 130, G. L., as amended by the Acts of 1941.

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56, G. L., as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended that the Town so authorize and appropriate $50.00 for expenses. Unanimous vote.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of Twenty-five Cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and appropriate the sum of $30.00 for this purpose.

Recommended the appropriation of $30.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the operating expense of the Town Ration Board.

Recommended the appropriation of $100.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to establish a road machinery account to which shall be credited all receipts received for the use or rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purposes, or take any action in relation thereto.

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to establish a road machinery fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery.

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1942 bills, under the provisions of Chapter 179, Acts of 1941.

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Civilian Defense, under the provisions of Chapter 487, Acts of 1941.

Recommended the sum of $700.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 25. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regard to converting the Town Hall heating plant from oil to other fuel and raise and appropriate a sum of money for same.

Recommended the appropriation of $50.00 for expenses and that the date of making and change be left in the hands of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.

Article 26. To see what rate the Town will vote to pay for laborers and trucks for the ensuing year.

Recommended Sixty cents an hour for laborers and $1.60 per hour for truck and Driver. Unanimous vote.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate an additional sum of money for the purpose of continuing the school lunch project at the Schoolhouse. (By request of the School Committee).

No recommendation. Unanimous vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham; at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham; at the Post Office in North Eastham, and at the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said Meeting as aforesaid. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said Meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 12th day of January in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-three.

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
MAURICE W. WILEY
Selectmen of Eastham

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TOWN OF EASTHAM

ACORN, CHARLES H. Jr.
ATWOOD, Charles F.
ATWOOD, CHARLES F. Jr.

BECKER, CLYDE L.
BENNER, LOUIE A.
BREWER, HOWARD E.
BREWER, JAMES R.
BROWN, JAMES M.

CAMPBELL, CHARLES N.
CAMPBELL, CYRUS H.
CLARK, EDWARD A. D.
COLLINS, BERNARD C. Jr.
COLLINS, ROBERT E.
CROSBY, JOHN B.
CURTIN, JOHN C.

DANIELS, JESSE E.

ELDREDGE, LEWIS W.
ELDREDGE, WALTER C. Jr.
ESCOBAR, CHARLES P.

FROST, RALPH D. L.
FULCHER, EZEKIEL D. Jr.
FULCHER, ROBERT E.
FULLER, FRANK A.

HAYES, JULIAN C.
HOFFMAN, ROBERT
HORTON, EDWIN W. Jr.
HURD, BROOKS H.

KING, GEORGE O.
KING, JOSEPH A.
KNOWLES, PAUL W.

LaFLEUR, RAYMOND F.
LEE, IRVING S.
LINCOLN, FRANK B.
LLOYD, ELMER W.

MAHONEY, WILLIAM E.
MAYO, KENNETH
MAYO, LLOYD A.
MOORE, HERBERT L.
MOORE, WESLEY B.

NICKERSON, ARTHUR C.
NICKERSON, BERNARD C.
NICKERSON, GEORGE S.
NICKERSON, HERBERT D.
NICKERSON, RICHARD C.
NICKERSON, VERNON

ORMSBY, RALPH L.

PAULL, JOHN A.
PEARSON, ROBERT
PRINCE, BARBARA A.

RICH, ALBION F. Jr.
RONGNER, GEORGE E.

SCRIVENS, ROBERT K.
SIMON, NICHOLAS D.
SMITH, LUTHER P.
SPARROW, DANIEL W. Jr.
SPARROW, FENTON B.
SPARROW, ROBERT W.
STEELE, WILLIAM B. Jr.

TARVERS, LEONARD E.
TURNER, WARREN B.

VIDLER, ROBERT D.

WATSON, ROBERT
WATSON, WILLIAM W.
WILSON, ERNEST CLYDE
*WILSON, WARREN L.

YOUNGREN, EARL

*Missing

TOWN OFFICERS

FOR THE YEAR 1943

Moderator

George Howard

Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, Board of Assessors and Board of Health

Ralph A. Chase	Term expires 1944
Edward D. Penniman	Term expires 1945
Maurice W. Wiley	Term expires 1946

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector

Leslie E. Chase

Highway Surveyor

Nathan A. Nickerson

Registrars of Voters

Ralph A. Chase	Maurice W. Wiley
Edward D. Penniman	Leslie E. Chase

Trustees of the Public Library

Otto E. Nickerson	Term expires 1946
Mrs. Charles A. Gunn	Term expires 1944
Mrs. Dorrice M. Mayo	Term expires 1945

Constables

Harvey T. Moore

Philip J. Schwind (Designated Shellfish Constable)

Tree Warden

Ernest M. Moore

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Town Acountant

L. Isabelle Brackett

Inspector of Cattle and Slaughtering

Harry W. Collins

Moth Superintendent
Ernest M. Moore

Pound Keeper
William B. Steele

Field Drivers
Obed A. Fulcher Adin L. Gill Arthur E. Brown

Custodian of Town Dump
Charles P. Escubar

Forest Fire Warden
Nathan A. Nickerson

Burial Agent
Herbert D. Nickerson

Sealer of Weights and Measures
Stanley M. Walker

Chief of Police
Ralph A. Chase

Special Police

Lewis W. Collins
Winfred J. Knowles
Charles S. Whiting
Adin L. Gill
Nathan E. Clark
Horace A. Moore
Walter F. Nickerson
Leslie E. Chase
Herman A. Dill
Alfred O. Stowell

Milk Inspector
George F. Crocker

Sanitary Inspector
Alton Robbins

Supervisor of Old Cemeteries and Soldiers' and Sailors' Lots
Fred F. Dill

Inspectors of Wires
Maurice A. Moore Reuben S. Hopkins

Finance Committee

Richard H. Whitford, Chairman and Secretary	Term expires 1944
Carl C. French	Term expires 1944
Charles A. Gunn	Term expires 1944
Alfred O. Stowell	Term expires 1945
Raymond N. Knowles	Term expires 1945
Charles L. Holbrook	Term expires 1945
Emerson B. Wentworth	Term expires 1946
Ralph L. Rogers	Term expires 1946
Arthur E. Brown	Term expires 1946

LIST OF JURORS

Prepared by the Board of Selectmen, in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 234, of the General Laws.

Name	Occupation	Residence
Charles L. Holbrook	Laborer	South Eastham
Maurice W. Wiley	Farmer	North Eastham
George R. Wiley	Clerk	North Eastham
Herman E. Mahoney	Insurance Agent	Eastham
Otis H. Barton	Merchant	Eastham
Walter L. Campbell	Caretaker	Eastham
Emerson B. Wentworth	Businessman	North Eastham

Signed by:—

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
MAURICE W. WILEY

Selectmen of Eastham

Assessors' Report

The past year the Town has been more fortunate than first expected.

The personal property valuation was only $360.00 below last year's valuation.

There was nearly enough new building to overcome the loss and reduced assessments, making the difference of $6100.00 less in real estate valuation. Though there was the loss of the gasoline tax and one-third less of the excise tax, the two-thirds cut in the State tax with a larger receipt from the corporation taxes plus $1500.00 taken from the available funds a tax rate of $25.50 was set.

The following tables of figures will give you more information.

Be at Town Meeting, that is where the tax rate is really made.

VALUATION OF TOWN JANUARY 1, 1943

Real Estate, Land	$ 404,200.00
Real Estate, Buildings	937,010.00
Personal Estate	142,390.00
	$1,484,600.00
Real Estate (Dec. Assessment)	3,400.00
Total Valuation	$1,488,000.00

TAXES ASSESSED TO DECEMBER 31, 1943

Levied on Real Estate	$34,200.85
Levied on Personal Estate	3,630.94
Levied on Polls	424.00
Gain on Fractional Adjustment	2.58
December Assessment	86.70
Moth Assessment	76.50
Motor Vehicle Excise	877.52
Rate of Taxation	25.50
Number of Polls Assessed	212
Number of Horses Assessed	4
Number of Cows Assessed	29
Number of Neat Cattle other than Cows Assessed	4
Number of Swine Assessed	8
Number of Fowl Assessed	1,739
Acres of Land Assessed	6,802.30
Raised for Town Purposes	33,083.40
Raised for State Tax	1,100.00
Raised for County Tax	3,525.74
Raised for Mosquito Control	521.52
State Parks	27.71

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE W. WILEY

RALPH A. CHASE

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN

Board of Assessors

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—EASTHAM 1943 RECAPITULATION

		Figures Used In Fixing Tax Rate
A. CITY OR TOWN: Include All Appropriations Voted Since 1939 Tax Rate Was Fixed		G.L., Chap. 59, 23, 25
1. Total appropriations as certified by city or town clerk to be raised by taxation, Chapter 41, 15A		$49,666.06
2. Total appropriations voted to be taken from available funds: (a) In 1942 $700.00, since 1942 Tax Rate was fixed		700.00
B. STATE: Tax and Assessments:	1943 Estimates	
1. State Tax	$1,100.00	
2. State Parks and Reservations	27.71	
3. Cape Cod Mosquito Control (Barnstable County only)	521.52	
4. State Audit of Municipal Accounts	485.40	
		2,134.63
C. COUNTY: Tax and Assessments:		
1. County Tax		3,525.74
D. OVERLAY of Current Year		1,073.37
E.	**Gross Amount To Be Raised**	$57,099.80
F. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS		
1. Income Tax	$3,614.72	
2. Corporation Taxes	1,318.62	
3. Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	1,200.00	
4. Licenses	355.53	
5. Fines	12.70	
6. Special Assessments (Moth)	82.50	
7. General Government	50.00	
8. Charities (other than federal grants for aid to dependent children)	1,200.00	

9. Old Age Assistance (other than federal grants)		4,700.00	...
10. Old Age Tax (Meals) Acts of 1941, Chapter 729		225.74	
11. Soldiers' Benefits		200.00	
12. Schools—State and Boston		3,312.95	
13. Interest: On Taxes and Assessments		317.90	
14. Inspection of Animals		12.50	
15. Sealer of Weights and Measures		11.00	
16. Reimbursement of Account of State Owned Land		7.27	
17. County (Dog Officer)		20.00	
Total Estimated Receipts		$16,641.43	
18. Amounts voted to be taken from available funds			
(a)	700.00		
(b) Taken to lower rate	1,500.00	2,200.00	
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds			18,841.43
G. Net Amount To Be Raised by Taxation on Polls and Property			$38,258.37
H. Number of Polls, 212, at $2.00 each Poll Tax		424.00	
J. Total Valuation: Personal Property $142,390 Tax Rate	Personal Property Tax	3,630.94	
Real Estate 1,341,210 25.50	Real Estate Tax	34,200.85	
K. Gain on account of fractional divisions of tax rate		2.58	
L. TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON POLLS AND PROPERTY			38,258.37
M. Items not entering into the determination of the Tax Rate			
1. Betterment and special assessments:			
(a) Private Moth		76.50	
N. Total of All Other Commitments			76.50
O. Total Amount of All Taxes on Polls and Property and Assessments committed to the Collector to Date of Fixing Tax Rate			$38,344.87

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

January 1, 1943 balance in treasury	$15,407.68
Receipts to December 31, 1943	78,884.72
	$94,292.40

PAYMENTS

Warrants No. 1 to 734	$70,027.33
December 31, 1943 On deposit	23,781.00
December 31, 1943 Cash and Checks on hand	484.07
	$94,292.40

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Treasurer.

Report of Custodian of Trust Funds

MUNICIPAL TRUST FUNDS

Timothy Smith Fund

Receipts

January 1, 1943 on deposit		$19,889.56
Increase April	Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	374.57
Increase October	Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	338.27
Interest	Wellfleet Savings Bank	177.22
Interest	Cape Cod Trust Co.	141.93
Loans Repaid		840.68
Interest on Loans		175.72
Gift Clause—Money not used		50.00
		$21,987.95

Payments

December 31, 1943 on deposit	$21,587.95
Loans 1943	200.00
Library	100.00
Check drawn for deposit	100.00
	$21,987.95

Loans prior to 1943	$9,184.82	
Loans repaid in 1943	840.64	
	$8,344.14	
Loans 1943	$200.00	
Total loans Dec. 31, 1943		$8,544.14

Total Assets	
On deposit	$21,587.95
Loans	8,544.14
	$30,132.09

BILLINGS LIBRARY FUND

January 1, 1943 In Trust	$14,000.00
Income January	210.00
Income July	210.00
	$14,420.00
Deposited in Town Funds for Support of Library	$420.00
December 31, 1943 On Deposit	14,000.00
	$14,420.00

TOWN HALL INCOME FUND

January 1, 1943 On Deposit	$191.11
Interest to October 1943	6.29
Income	144.31
	$341.71
April 21, 1943 Withdrawn	2.50
May 15, 1943 Withdrawn	5.62
December 31, 1943, Balance on deposit	333.59
	$341.71

OLD WIND GRIST MILL OPERATING FUND

January 1, 1943 On Deposit	$46.72
Interest to October 1943	.94
Deposited	1.75
	$49.41
April 21, 1943 Withdrawn	$17.50
September 9, 1943 Withdrawn	2.40
December 31, 1943, on Deposit	29.51
	$49.41

OLD WIND GRIST MILL FUND

January 1, 1943, on Deposit	$511.31
Interest to July 1943	10.27
	$521.58

No withdrawals from this account in 1943

EASTHAM WORLD WAR MEMORIAL FUND

January 1, 1943, on Deposit	$463.80
Interest to July 1943	9.31
	$473.11

No withdrawals from this account in 1943

EASTHAM COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE

January 1, 1943, on Deposit	$75.81
Interest to December 1943	.94
	$76.75

No withdrawals from this account in 1943

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Zara Higgins Fund

January 1, 1943 on Deposit	$130.69
Interest to July	2.61
	$133.30
December 31, 1943, Withdrawn	$ 3.00
December 31, 1943, on Deposit	130.00
	$133.30

Frank O. Daniels Fund

January 1, 1943, on Deposit	$50.11
Interest to July	1.00
	$51.11
November 24, 1943, Withdrawn	$ 1.00
December 31, 1943, on Deposit	50.11
	$51.11

Mercy A. Mines Fund

January 1, 1943, on Deposit	$53.04
Interest to July	1.06
	$54.10
September 18, Withdrawn	4.00
December 31, 1943, on Deposit	50.10
	$54.10

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Custodian

Report of Collector of Taxes

Dr.

Balance due Taxes of 1941 Real Estate	$ 348.50
Balance due Taxes of 1941 Personal	19.12
Balance due Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	5,999.82
Balance due Taxes of 1942 Personal	346.08
Balance due Taxes of 1941 Moth	6.50
Balance due Taxes of 1942 Moth	30.00
Warrant Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	34,202.78
Warrant Omitted Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	86.70
Warrant Taxes of 1943 Personal	3,631.59
Warrant Taxes of 1943 Moth	76.50
Warrant Taxes of 1943 Poll	424.00
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1941 Real Estate	.10
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	3.73
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	4.50
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1943 Moth	1.50
Abatement after payment (Refunds) 1943 Real Estate	25.50
Disclaimed Tax Title Taxes of 1941	10.20
Disclaimed Tax Title Taxes of 1942	6.63
Overpayment Tax Title of 1942 Real Estate	4.84
	$45,228.59

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Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1941 Real Estate	$ 303.26
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1941 Personal	10.96
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	5,658.18
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1942 Personal	266.83
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	28,893.24

Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1943 Personal	3,475.22
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1941 Moth	6.50
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1942 Moth	25.00
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1943 Moth	59.50
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1943 Poll	314.00
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1943 Moth	4.50
Abatements Taxes of 1941 Real Estate	10.20
Abatements Taxes of 1941 Personal	8.16
Abatements Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	42.15
Abatements Taxes of 1942 Moth	5.00
Abatements Taxes of 1942 Personal	39.75
Abatements Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	305.22
Abatements Taxes of 1943 Personal	1.53
Abatements Taxes of 1943 Poll	108.00
Tax Titles Taxes of 1941	45.34
Tax Titles Taxes of 1942	282.27
Tax Titles Taxes of 1943	845.31
Uncollected Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	32.42
Uncollected Taxes of 1942 Personal	39.50
Uncollected Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	4,275.71
Uncollected Taxes of 1943 Personal	154.84
Uncollected Taxes of 1943 Moth	14.00
Uncollected Taxes of 1943 Poll	2.00
	$45,228.59

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE

Dr.

Balance due Excise of 1942	$33.59
Warrants Excise of 1943	876.47
Abatement after payment 1942 (Refund)	4.29
Abatement after payment 1943	11.80
Audit Adjustment of 1943	1.05
	$927.20

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Paid Treasurer Excise of 1942	$ 29.31
Paid Treasurer Excise of 1943	846.32
Abatement after pay Refund of 1942	4.29
Abatement after pay Refund of 1943	11.80
Uncollected Excise of 1942	4.28
Uncollected Excise of 1943	31.20
	$927.20

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Collector

Report of Town Clerk

DOGS LICENSED IN 1943

28 Male Dogs @ $2.00	$56.00	
19 Spayed Females @ $2.00	38.00	
13 Females @ $5.00	65.00	
		$159.00
Overpayment to Treasurer		4.80
		$163.80

Fees Retained—60 @ .20	$12.00	
July 3, Paid County Treasurer	136.80	
November 15, Paid County Treasurer	10.20	
Refund Overpayment	4.80	
		$163.80

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Division of Fisheries and Game

		Total	Fees	Paid Div. of F. & G.
22 Resident Citizens Fishing Licenses	@ $2.00	$ 44.00	$ 5.50	$ 38.50
74 Resident Citizens Hunting Licenses	@ 2.00	148.00	18.50	129.50
6 Resident Citizens Sporting Licenses	@ 3.25	19.50	1.50	18.00
8 Resident Citizens Women's & Minor Fishing Licenses	@ 1.25	10.00	2.00	8.00
1 Resident Minor Trappers License	@ 2.25	2.25	.25	2.00
2 Resident Citizen Trappers Licenses	@ 5.25	10.50	.50	10.00
Resident Sporting Licenses	No. Fee	(70 years of age or over NO FEE)		
8 Non-Resident Citizen 3-Day Licenses	@ 1.50	12.00	2.00	10.00
1 Non-Resident Citizen Fishing License	@ 5.25	5.25	.25	5.00
1 Duplicate	@ .50	.50		.50
7 Resident Military	No Fee			
1 Non-Resident Military License	@ 2.00	2.00	.25	1.75
		$254.00	$30.75	$223.25

BIRTHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1943

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Feb. 22	Donna Jeanne Moore	Horace Clifton Moore	Gertrude Caroline Dill
July 27	Anne Marie Knowles	James P. Knowles	Dorothy G. Doane
Sept. 28	Gene Ernest Schofield	James E. Schofield	Geneva Alice Swain

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1943

July 2	Frederick A. Hooper, Jr.	Brewster, Mass.
	Virginia M. Parsons	Eastham, Mass.
July 17	Robert W. Pearson	Eastham, Mass.
	Dorothy E. Madden	Dorchester, Mass.
Aug. 21	Bernard C. Collins, Jr.	Eastham, Mass.
	Phyllis Ellis	Orleans, Mass.
Sept. 5	Joseph P. Garcia	Eastham, Mass.
	Ruth E. Young	Orleans, Mass.
Oct. 16	Wallace Roberts	Eastham, Mass.
	Henrietta T. (Poulter) Conant	Windsor, Conn.
Nov. 24	Sheldon Edward Walker	Portland, Maine
	Charlotte Isabelle Gunn	Eastham, Mass.
Dec. 14	Robert Gordon MacBride	Lubec, Maine
	Leona Crosby Gunn	Eastham, Mass.
Dec. 25	Wiliam George Lewis	Eastham, Mass.
	Gladys Adelaide (Chase) Hall	Orleans, Mass.

DEATHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1943

		Yrs.	Mos.	Da.
Feb. 3	Beatrice May (Stowell) Moulton	38		
Feb. 11	Sherwood Jordon, Jr.		7	9
Apr. 8	Herbert C. Clark	83	7	13
Apr. 19	Arthur Pembroke Stone	68	3	10
May 26	Ezekiel Doane Fulcher	74	5	5
May 28	Harriet Amanda (Moore) Baker	97	3	9
June 10	Catherine (Flynn) Sparrow	76	1	19
Dec. 17	Albert L. Stratton	77	0	8
Dec. 19	Arthur Herbert Knowles	60	4	13

WARRANT ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

February 1 - 2, 1943

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the first day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles in this warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in Eastham at 12:30 P.M. on Tuesday, the second day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Polls to be opened at 12:30 P.M. and may be closed at 6:00 P.M.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report including recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, provided the State makes a satisfactory allotment, for repair and maintenance of Town Ways under Chapter 81, Sections 26 - 29 G.L. as amended.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefore payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, G.L.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, G.L.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74 G.L. or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Article 9. To see if the Town will adopt the following By-Law: "All Town Officers are to report the amount of fees received by them by virtue of their office to the Selectmen, who shall publish the same in the Annual Town Report." As provided in the General Laws Chapter 40, Section 21, Part 13. (By request.)

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of shellfish, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Article 11. To see what sum of money shall be taken from available funds towards defraying the tax levy for 1943.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to charge the Overlay Reserve Fund the sum of $695.41 which is the balance ordered by Land Court refunded and tax title dismissed in the name of James P. Brewer et al.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 52, Chapter 130, G.L. as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Section 54, Chap. 130, G.L. as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 15. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorizations provided for under the provisions of Sec. 54, Chapter 130, G.L. as amended by the Acts of 1941, Chapter 598.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56 G.L. as amended by Chapter 590, Acts of 1941.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure or take any action relative thereto.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of twenty-five cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and appropriate the sum of $30.00 for this purpose.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the operating expenses of the Town Rationing Board.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to establish a road machinery account to which shall be credited all receipts received for the use or rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purposes, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to establish a road machinery fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1942 bills, under the provisions of Chapter 174 Acts of 1941.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Civilian Defense, under the provisions of Chapter 487, Acts of 1941.

Article 25. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regard to converting the heating plant from oil to other fuel at the Town Hall and raise and appropriate a sum of money for same.

Article 26. To see what rate the town will pay for laborers and trucks the ensuing year.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate an additional sum of money for the purpose of continuing the school lunch project at the School House. (By request of School Committee.)

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, at the Post Office in North Eastham and at the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting. Given under our hands and seals this 12th day of January in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-three.

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
MAURICE W. WILEY
Selectmen of Eastham.

To Leslie E. Chase

Town Clerk:

Greeting. In pursuance of the conditions of the foregoing warrant I have posted attested copies thereof, one at each of the Post Offices in North Eastham, one at the Post Office in Eastham, one at the Packing House of Bernard Collins, and one at the barn of Harry Collins in said Eastham seven days before time of holding said meeting.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, FEBRUARY 1, 1943

Meeting called to order by Moderator at 10:10 o'clock. Warrant calling meeting read by the Town Clerk together with the return of the Officer who served the same. Tellers appointed Harold L. Arnold and Mary Atwood and sworn by Moderator.

Article 1. Voted that the report of the Town Officers and Committees be accepted as read, with the exception of Finance Committee's recommendations. These recommendations were considered and accepted after making the following changes:

Voted to increase to $600.00 the amount for snow. Voted to decrease the school appropriation by $1,000 leaving school appropriations $16,563.00. Voted to increase Janitor appropriations $600.00 to $1248.00. Voted that recommendations for budget be listed as Departmental recommendations after amount shown by Finance Committee.

Then voted to accept the Finance Committee's recommendation with changes as noted:

Salaries

Moderator	$25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	900.00
Board of Welfare	600.00
Assessors	500.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, and Collector of Taxes	1,500.00
Accountant	350.00

Expenses

Selectmen and Assessors	175.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector Expenses	600.00
Officer's Traveling	100.00
Election Department	100.00
Surety on Board	100.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00
Legal Expense	75.00
Janitor	1,248.00
Town Hall	600.00
Suppression of Crime	100.00
Town Fires	50.00
Orleans Fire Department	200.00
Prevention and Suppressions of Forest Fires	100.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	50.00
Inspection of Wiring	30.00
Moths Suppression	600.06
Tree Warden	70.00
Health	200.00
Private Moth	100.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	200.00
Snow	600.00
Public Welfare	1,200.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2,300.00
Old Age Assistance	7,500.00
Soldiers' Benefits	600.00
Schools	16,563.00
Tax Title	400.00
Town Landings	50.00
Memorial Day	30.00

Community Christmas Tree	35.00	
Town Reports	300.00	
Finance Committee	10.00	
Insurance	500.00	
Miscellaneous	125.00	
Reserve	1,000.00	
Old Cemeteries	150.00	
Interest	300.00	
Schoolhouse Note	1,000.00	
Town Dump	200.00	
		$41,716.06

Article 2. Voted to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service. Elected Clayton O. Horton, Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. Voted the refunded Dog Tax be made available to the Public Library.

Article 4. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,225.00 for care and maintenance of Town Ways provided the State will make a satisfactory allotment to the Town for the same under Chapter 81, Section 26 to 29 as amended. By Unanimous Vote.

Article 5. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefore payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Sec. 17, Chapter 44, Gen. Laws.
By Unanimous Vote.

Article 6. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of re-imbursement of the finan-

cial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefore payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, G. Laws. By Unanimous Vote.

Article 7. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the Public Library. By Unanimous Vote.

Article 8. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the establishment of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment. By Unanimous Vote.

Article 9. Voted to adopt the following By-Law: "All Town Officers are to report the amount of fees received by them by virtue of their office, to the Selectmen, who shall publish the same in the Annual Town Report." As provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Sec. 21, Part 13. (By request.)

Article 10. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for protection and $300.00 for propagation of shellfish. Unanimous Vote.

Article 11. Voted the Assessors be authorized to use such sum of money from available funds as may be needed to keep the tax rate at a figure near the present level.

Article 12. Voted to charge the Overlay Reserve Fund with the sum of $695.41 the sum ordered paid by the Land Court. Unanimous.

Article 13. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels, and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms as provided for under the

provisions of Section 52, Chapter 130 Gen. Laws as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 14. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, Gen. Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Act of 1941.

Article 15. Voted to invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Section 53, Chapter 130, Gen. Laws as amended by the Acts of 1941.

Article 16. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56, Gen. Laws as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 17. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to continue to make a charge for all shellfish licenses or permits issued.

Article 18. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken through tax title procedure and appropriated the sum of $50.00. The Selectmen be instructed to post in the Town Report the amount and location of land sold with the amount received from said land.

Article 19. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $30.00 for the purpose of paying a bounty of 25 cents for each woodchuck killed within the boundaries of the Town.

Article 20. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for expenses of the Town Rationing Board.

Article 21. Voted to establish a road machinery account to which shall be credited all receipts received for use or rent of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road Machinery purposes.

Article 22. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the purpose of establishing a Road Machinery Fund.

Article 23. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 24. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $700.00 for Civilian Defense.

Article 25. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 for the purpose of converting the heating plant in the Town Hall from oil-burning to coal burning furnace.

Article 26. Voted that the rate of pay will be 60 cents per hour for men and $1.60 per hour for truck with driver.

Article 27. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for school lunches. Unanimous Vote.

Minutes of meeting read and accepted.

Voted to adjourn at 2:45 P.M.

Attest: LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Mr. George Howard, Moderator.

Announced the appointment of Arthur E. Brown, Ralph L. Rogers and Emerson B. Wentworth to the Finance Committee for three years.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL ELECTION, FEBRUARY 2, 1943

Polls opened at 12:30 P.M. and Ralph A. Chase, Harvey T. Moore, Abbott S. Knowles, Edward D. Penniman and Richard H. Whitford appointed to serve at this election and sworn to the faithful performance of their duties. Balloted as directed and the following elected:

Moderator for One Year

George Howard		43 Votes
Blanks		2

Selectman, Assessor, Board of Health and Board of Welfare for Three Years

Maurice W. Wiley		43 Votes
Blank		2

Town Clerk, Treasurer & Collector of Taxes for One Year

Leslie E. Chase	had	42 Votes
Blanks		3

School Committee for Three Years

Stanley M. Walker	had	44 Votes
Blanks		1

Trustee of Public Library for Three Years

Otto E. Nickerson	had	43 Votes
Blanks		2

Highway Surveyor for One Year

Nathan A. Nickerson	had	44 Votes
Blank		1

Constable for One Year

Harvey T. Moore	had	41 Votes
Philip J. Schwind	had	35 Votes
Blanks		14 Votes

Tree Warden for One Year

Ernest M. Moore	had	42 Votes
Blanks	had	3 Votes

Polls closed at 6 P.M. Ballots cast—45.

Attest: LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

February 3, 1943.

Selectmen's Appointments:—

Ernest M. Moore, Moth Superintendent; L. Isabelle Brackett, Town Accountant; William B. Steele, Pound Keeper; Obed A. Fulcher, Adin L. Gill and Arthur E. Brown, Field Drivers; Chas. P. Escobar, Custodian of Town Dump; Nathan A. Nickerson, Forest Fire Warden; Herbert D. Nickerson, Burial Agent; Stanley M. Walker, Sealer of Weights and Measures; Chief of Police, Ralph A. Chase; George F. Crocker, Milk Inspector; Special Police, Lewis W. Collins, Winfred J. Knowles, Chas. S. Whiting, Adin L. Gill, Horace C. Moore, Walter F. Nickerson, Leslie F. Chase, Herman A. Dill, Nathan E. Clark, Alfred O. Stowell; Alton Robbins, Sanitary Inspector; Fred F. Dill, Supervisor of Old Cemeteries and Soldiers' and Sailors' Lots; Maurice A. Moore and Reuben S. Hopkins, Inspectors of Wiring.

Hon. Robert T. Bushnell
Attorney General
State House
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I hereby certify that the following article was inserted in the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, held February

1, 1943, and that action was taken on the said article as is shown hereon.

Article 9. To see if the Town will adopt the following By-Law: "All Town Officers are to report the amount of fees received by them by virtue of their office to the Selectmen, who shall publish the same in the Annual Town Report." As provided in the General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 21, Part 13. (By Request.)

Voted—

Article 9. Voted to adopt the following By-Law. "All Town Officers are to report the amount of fees received by them by virtue of their office to the Selectmen, who shall publish the same in the Annual Town Report." As provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 21, Part 13.

(By unanimous vote.)

Attest: LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass.
Feb. 16, 1943

The foregoing by-law is hereby approved.

ROBERT T. BUSHNELL,
Attorney General.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Report of Town Accountant

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I have the honor of submitting the report of the Accounting Department for the year ending December 31, 1943, as follows:

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand		$15,407.68
General Revenue		
Taxes 1941 Real	$ 303.26	
Taxes 1941 Personal	10.96	
Taxes 1942 Real	5.658.18	
Taxes 1942 Personal	266.83	
Taxes 1943 Real	28.893.24	
Taxes 1943 Personal	3,475.22	
Poll Tax	314.00	
		38,921.69
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1943	29.31	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1943	846.32	
		875.63
Tax Title Redemption	310.89	
Sale of Land	1,000.00	
		1,310.89
From State		
Income Tax	4,120.00	
Business Corp. Tax	1,978.62	
Meal Tax	235.91	
		6,334.53

From County		
Dog Licenses		128.63
Licenses and Permits		
Shellfish Licenses and Grants	416.61	
Innholders	6.00	
Weir Permit	25.00	
Herring Brook Rental	10.00	
Gasoline	5.00	
Victuallers	2.00	
Lodging House	2.00	
Milk	14.50	
Oleo	.50	
Dog Licenses	151.80	
		633.41
Grants and Gifts		
School Superintendent		220.31
Schools		
City of Boston	629.27	
School Lunch	563.40	
School Milk	107.20	
School Milk Agency Fund	32.96	
Telephone Toll	2.91	
		1,335.74
Interest		
Taxes R. and P.	181.85	
M. V. Excise	1.06	
Demands	20.30	
Tax Title Interest	20.39	
		223.60
Loans		
Anticipation of Reimbursement		5,375.00

Unclassified		
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes	7.27	
Refund Fed. Excise	7.50	
Use of Telephone	1.49	
Tax Title Redemption	21.00	
Recording	13.00	
Use of Car	2.50	
Reimbursement R. R. Fee	63.50	
		116.26
Commercial Revenue		
Moth	91.00	
Sealers Fees	7.76	
Library Fines	20.97	
Rent of Highway Machinery	226.25	
		345.98
From State		
Inspection of Animals	20.00	
Bounty on Seals	66.00	
Highway Chap. 81	5,039.79	
		5,125.79
Federal Grants:		
Old Age Assistance	5,842.34	
Old Age Assistance Adm.	194.70	
Aid to Dependent Children	1,466.16	
Aid to Dependent Children Adm.	47.93	
		7,551.13
Charities:		
Public Welfare from State	131.60	
Old Age Assistance from State	5,344.01	
Aid Dependent Children from State	948.10	
Old Age Assistance from other Towns	159.09	
Public Welfare from other Towns	662.91	
		7,245.71

Soldiers Benefits

State Aid	210.00	
Military Aid	175.00	
		385.00

Refunds

Dog refunds	12.00	
Dental Clinic	11.50	
Taxes (Short payment)	3.00	
Election and Registration	16.80	
Insurance	143.56	
Tax Title	14.09	
Refund Tax Title Costs	9.10	
		210.05

Income

Billings Fund	420.00	
Timothy Smith Fund	712.84	
Town Hall Fund	60.11	
		1,192.95

Trust Funds Withdrawn

Timothy Smith Loans	1,216.40	
Timothy Smith Gift	100.00	
Old Mill Operating Fund	19.90	
Town Hall Income Fund	8.12	
Frank O. Daniels Cemetery Fund	1.00	
Mercy A. Mines Cemetery Fund	4.00	
Zara Higgins Cemetery Fund	3.00	
		1,352.42
		$94,292.40

PAYMENTS

Officers Travelling Expenses	$ 64.97
Selectmen's Salaries	900.00
Moderator	25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Sec. Finance Comm.	50.00
Assessors' and Selectmen's Exp.	159.41
Sal. Treas., Coll., Clerk	1,500.00
Accountant Sal. and Exp.	385.06
Treas., Coll., Clerk Exp.	610.48
Salary Board of Welfare	448.20
Surety on Board	102.50
Assessors' Salaries	500.00
Assessors' Abstracts	48.29
Certification of Notes	2.00
Legal Expense	20.00
Election and Registration	111.10
Janitor	1,248.00
Town Hall	644.59
Suppression of Crime	90.00
Civilian Defense	294.26
Town Fires	3.00
Orleans Fire Dept.	70.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	34.01
Moth Suppression	600.06
Private Moth Suppression	100.00
Tree Warden	70.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	30.00
Inspection of Wiring	4.00
Bounty on Woodchucks	5.00
Shellfish Propagation	21.65
Shellfish Protection	457.87
Health	115.00
Town Dump	180.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	12.00

Highway General	114.05
Snow	417.74
Highways Chap. 81	8,063.00
Public Welfare	926.74
Aid to Dependent Children	2,149.00
Aid to Dependent Children Federal Grant	708.00
Aid to Dependent Children Adm.	11.00
Old Age Assistance	5,656.46
Old Age Assistance Federal Grant	6,531.77
Old Age Assistance Adm.	209.96
Soldiers Benefits	180.00
School	16,212.00
School Lunch	1,506.79
School Milk Agency Fund	32.96
Public Library	110.52
Public Library Trust	588.45
Rationing Board	54.74
Tax Title Account	360.76
Miscellaneous	142.25
Finance Comm.	1.48
Insurance	622.48
Town Reports	249.40
Free Bed	300.00
Comm. Xmas Tree	29.27
Memorial Day	22.48
Town Landing	53.40
Expense Selling Tax Possession Prop.	56.03
Road Machinery Acct.	566.15
Old Cemeteries	144.60
Interest	202.45
Schoolhouse Note	1,000.00
Loan	5,375.00
Income Timothy Smith Fund	712.84
Timothy Smith Fund Loan Gift	1,266.40
Frank O. Daniels Cemetery Fund	1.00
Income Town Hall Fund	68.23
Zara Higgins Cemetery Fund	3.00
Mercy Mines Cemetery Fund	4.00

Old Mill Operating Fund	19.90
State Tax	1,100.00
County Tax	3,969.90
C. C. Mosquito Control	521.52
State Parks and Reservation	26.53
State Audit	485.40
Tax Refund	35.34
M. V. Excise Refund	16.09
Dog Licenses	151.80
	$70,027.33

1943 REVENUE ACCOUNT

Appropriations	$49,666.06	Poll Tax Commitment	$ 424.00
County Tax	1,100.00	Real and Personal Tax	37,834.37
State Tax	3,525.74	Estimated Receipts	16,641.43
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	521.52	To Reduce Tax Levy	1,500.00
State Parks and Reservations	27.71	Tr. from Surplus Revenue	700.00
State Audit	485.40	Dec. Commitment Taxes	86.70
Tr. from Surplus Revenue	700.00	Estimated Receipts	764.24
Overlay	1,073.37	Unexpended Balances	7,027.27
	57,099.80		
To Surpus Revenue	7,878.21		
	$64,978.01		$64,978.01

Surplus Revenue (E. and D.)

To Reduce Tax Levy	$2,200.00	Balance (1942)	$16,120.51
Tax Titles	1,172.92	Tax Title Redemption	310.89
	3,372.92	Disclaimers	22.23
Surplus Revenue (E. and D.)	22,667.25	Sale of Tax Possessions	1,000.00
	$26,040.17	To Reduce Tax Levy	700.00
		Audit Tax Adjustments	8.33
			18,161.96
		Revenue	7,878.21
			$26,040.17

Officers' Travelling Expenses

Selectmen's Expenses			
R. A. Chase	$ 2.00	Appropriation	$100.00
E. D. Penniman	15.11		
M. W. Wiley	13.00		
Assessors' Expenses			
E. D. Penniman	1.68		
M. W. Wiley	4.68		
Treasurer			
L. E. Chase	22.25		
Accountant			
L. Isabelle Brackett	6.25		
	64.97		
Balance to Revenue	35.03		
	$100.00		$100.00

Selectmen's Salaries

Ralph A. Chase	$400.00	Appropriation	$900.00
E. D. Penniman	200.00		
Maurice W. Wiley	300.00		
	$900.00		$900.00

Moderator

George Howard	$25.00	Appropriation	$25.00

Constable

Harvey T. Moore	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Road Surveyor

Nathan Nickerson	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Salary Secretary Finance Committee

Harold Whitford	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Asessors' and Selectmen's Expense Appropriation

Assessors			
E. D. Penniman, Use of Car	$10.00	Appropriation	$175.00
Typing Expense	18.00		
Printing Stationery, Postage	94.01		
Dues	5.00		
Selectmen			
Typing Expense	15.00		
Dues	9.00		
Printing Stationery, Postage	8.40		
	$159.41		
Balance to Revenue	15.59		
	$175.00		$175.00

Salary Treasurer, Collector, Clerk

L. E. Chase	$1,500.00	Appropriation	$1,500.00

Accountant's Salary and Expenses

L. Isabelle Brackett		Appropriation	$380.00
Salary	$350.00	Transferred from Reserve	5.06
Printing Stationery, Postage	35.06		
	$385.06		$385.06

Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense

Treasurer		Appropriation	$600.00
Use of Car	$30.50	Transferred from	
Printing Stationery,		Reserve	10.48
and Postage	110.08		
Check Writer	125.00		
Check Signer	130.00		
Box rent	2.00		
Collector			
Printing Stationery,			
Postage	75.20		
B. F. Sears—			
Recordings	54.68		
Town Clerk			
Printing Stationery,			
Postage	$40.52		
Typewriter Overhaul	33.00		
Dues Town Clerks'			
Association	3.00		
Use of Car	1.50		
Deputy Coll.	5.00		
	$610.48		$610.48

Salary Board of Welfare

Ralph A. Chase	$149.40	Appropriation	$600.00
Edward D. Penniman	149.40		
Maurice W. Wiley	149.40		
	448.20		
Balance to Revenue	151.80		
	$600.00		$600.00

Surety On Board

Tax Collector	$65.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Treasurer	32.50	Transferred from	
Town Clerk	5.00	Reserve	2.50
	$102.50		$102.50

Assessors' Salaries

Ralph A. Chase	$ 50.00	Appropriation	$500.00
Edward D. Penniman	150.00		
Maurice W. Wiley	300.00		
	$500.00		$500.00

Assessors' Abstracts

Shirley B. Chase	$48.29	Appropriation	$75.00
Balance to Revenue	26.71		
	$75.00		$75.00

Certification of Notes

Certification of Note	$2.00	Appropriation	$10.00
Balance to Revenue	8.00		
	$10.00		$10.00

Legal Expense

Harold Castonguay	$20.00	Appropriation	$75.00
Balance to Revenue	55.00		
	$75.00		

Election and Registration			
Printing	$38.10	Appropriation	$100.00
May Atwood	4.00	Refund	16.80
Harold Arnold	4.00		
Richard Whitford	5.00		
Abbott Knowles	5.00		
R. A. Chase	15.00		
E. D. Penniman	15.00		
M. W. Wiley	15.00		
L. E. Chase	10.00		
	111.10		
Balance to Revenue	5.70		
	$116.80		$116.80
Janitor			
Horace Moore	$1,248.00	Appropriation	$1,248.00
Town Hall			
Telephone	$ 86.88	Appropriation	$600.00
Fuel	337.65	Transferred from	
Lights	42.02	Reserve	100.00
Boiler Inspection	5.00		
Flag	8.30		
Repairs and Labor on Pump	4.40		
Labor and material renovating Town Hall	148.60		
Janitor's Supplies	10.24		
Sharpening Lawn Mower	1.50		
	$644.59		
Balance to Revenue	55.41		
	700.00		$700.00

Suppression of Crime

Harvey T. Moore		Appropriation	$100.00
Inspection of Property	$90.00		
Balance to Revenue	10.00		
	$100.00		

Civilian Defense

Eastham Share of Control Center	$251.16	Appropriation	$700.00
Air Raid Whistle	19.00		
Nickerson Lumber Co.	19.60		
Painting Signs	4.50		
	294.26		
Balance to Revenue	405.74		
	$700.00		

Town Fires

Labor	$3.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	47.00		
	$50.00		

Orleans Fire Department

Orleans Fire Dept.	$ 70.00	Appropriation	$200.00
Balance to Revenue	130.00		
	$200.00		

Prevention and Suppression Forest Fires

Labor	$34.01	Appropriation	$100.00
Balance to Revenue	65.99		
	100.00		

Moth Suppression

Publishing Notice	$15.00	Appropriation	$600.06
Labor and Trucks	579.03		
Gas and Oil	4.03		
Escobar Bros. Trucking Arsenic	2.00		
	$600.06		

Private Moth Suppression

Labor and Trucks	100.00	Appropriation	$100.00

Tree Warden

Labor and Truck	$70.00	Appropriation	$70.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Stanley Walker	$30.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	20.00		
	$50.00		

Inspection of Wiring

Maurice T. Moore	$ 4.00	Appropriation	$30.00
Balance to Revenue	26.00		
	$30.00		

Bounty on Woodchucks

Bounties	$ 5.00	Appropriation	$30.00
Balance to Revenue	25.00		
	$30.00		

Shellfish Propagation

Bulldozer Hire	$ 21.65	Appropriation	$300.00
Balance to Revenue	278.35		
	$300.00		

Shellfish Protection

Philip Schwind		Appropriation	$500.00
Constable	$450.00		
Lumber and Signs	7.15		
Miscellaneous	.72		
	457.87		
Balance to Revenue	42.13		
	$500.00		

Health

Well-Child Conference	$50.00	Appropriation	$200.00
Dental Clinic	50.00		
R. A. Chase	5.00		
E. D. Penniman	5.00		
M. W. Wiley	5.00		
	115.00		
Balance to Revenue	85.00		
	$200.00		

Town Dump

Escobar Bros.	$180.00	Appropriation	$200.00
Balance to Revenue	20.00		
	$200.00		

Inspection of Animals

Harry Collins	$40.00	Appropriation	$40.00

Dog Account

Walter Nickerson	$12.00	Appropriation	$20.00
Balance to Revenue	8.00		
	$20.00		

Highways General

Gas and Oil	$ 6.85	Appropriation	$200.00
Shovels	30.19		
Time Book	3.00		
Repairs	23.45		
Wheels and Axle	15.00		
Tarmac	13.51		
Bolts, Hinges, etc.	5.55		
Grader Blades	16.50		
	114.05		
Balance to Revenue	85.95		
	$200.00		

Snow

Labor	$356.53	Appropriation	$600.00
Snow Plow Blades	61.19		
	417.74		
Balance to Revenue	182.26		
	$600.00		

Highway Chap. 81

Expenditures	$8,063.00	Appropriation	$3,225.00
See Surveyor's Report			
Balance to Revenue	537.00		5,375.00
	$8,600.00		$8,600.00

Public Welfare

Groceries and Provisions	$256.71	Appropriation	$1,200.00
Medicine and Medical Attendance	15.64		
Cash Grants	496.56		
Coal and Wood	31.10		
Trucking Commodities	24.23		
Administration	2.00		
Envelopes	5.00		
Burial Service	95.50		
	926.74		
Balance to Revenue	273.26		
	$1,200.00		

Aid Dependent Children

Cash Grants	$2,149.00	Appropriation	$2,300.00
Balance to Revenue	151.00		
	$2,300.00		

Aid Dependent Children Federal Grants

Cash Grants	$708.00	Balance from	
Balance to 1944	835.71	1942	$ 77.55
		Grants 1943	1,466.16
	$1,543.71		$1,543.71

Aid Dependent Children Adm. Federal Grant

Typing	$11.00	Balance from 1942	$42.42
Balance to 1944	79.35	Grants 1943	47.93
	$90.35		$90.35

Old Age Assistance

Cash Grants	$5,656.46	Appropriation	$7,500.00
Balance to Revenue	1,843.54		
	$7,500.00		

Old Age Assistance Federal Grants

Cash Grants	$6,531.77	Balance from	
Balance to 1944	519.51	1942	$1,208.94
		Grants 1943	5,842.34
	$7,051.28		$7,051.28

Old Age Assistance Adm. Federal Grant

Typing	$21.00	Balance	$243.01
Board of Welfare		Grants 1943	194.70
Salary:			
R. A. Chase	50.60		
E. D. Penniman	50.60		
M. W. Wiley	50.60		
Printing	3.16		
E. D. Penniman			
Auto Hire	8.00		
Envelopes	26.00		
	209.96		
Balance to 1944	227.75		
	$437.71		$437.71

Soldiers' Benefits

State Aid Grants	$180.00	Appropriation	$600.00
Balance to Revenue	420.00		
	$600.00		

Schools

Expenditures	$16,212.00	Appropriation	$16,563.00
See Superindent's Report	351.00		
	$16,563.00		

School Lunch

Labor	$849.44	Appropriation	$2,000.00
Groceries	468.00		
Milk	126.42		
Gas	34.00		
Trucking	16.49		
Ice	11.64		
Miscellaneous	.80		
	1,506.79		
Balance to Revenue	493.21		
	$2,000.00		

Public Library

Blanche Keefe, Librarian	$42.50	Appropriation	$150.00
Lights	2.00		
Printing, Stationery, Postage	8.29		
Magazines	31.00		

Books	16.69		
Labor on Water Pump	10.04		
	110.52		
Balance to Revenue	39.48		
	$150.00		

Public Library Trust

Blanche Keefe, Librarian	$237.50	Balance from 1942	$ 88.29
Insurance	30.40	Refunded Dog Tax	128.63
Flag Pole	8.00	Income Billings Fund	420.00
Books	230.70	Gift	100.00
Fuel	49.50		
Lights	8.90		
Printing, Stationery, Postage	12.31		
Expense Attending Meeting	1.10		
Dues	1.00		
Carting Wood	9.00		
	588.45		
Balance to 1944	148.47		
	$736.92		$736.92

Rationing Board

Expenses Attending Meetings	$28.43	Appropriation	$100.00
Lumber	3.00		
Telephone	10.40		
Punch	3.70		

Ration Board Stamps	2.00
Typewriter Ribbon and Ink Pad	1.46
Pen Holders, Pens	2.20
Miscellaneous	3.55
	$54.74
Balance to Revenue	45.26
	$100.00

Tax Title Account

Notary Fees and Postage	$ 9.74	Appropriation	$400.00
		Refund	14.09
Register of Deeds—Recordings	98.87		
Goss Print	62.40		
L. E. Chase, Fees	177.55		
R. A. Chase, Notary Fees	13.00		
	360.76		
Balance to Revenue	53.33		
	$414.09		$414.09

Miscellaneous

Register of Deeds	$ 5.15	Appropriation	$125.00
Binding Town Reports	22.75	Transferred from Revenue	35.00
Bounty on Seals	65.50		
R. A. Chase, Notary Fees	2.50		
Paid Orleans, one-half Shellfish Grant	3.30		
Lumber for Honor Roll	6.42		

Advertising	36.00		
Elbows for Moth Dept.	.63		
	142.25		
	17.75		
	$160.00		$160.00

Finance Committee

Printing, Stationery, Postage	$1.48	Appropriation	$10.00
Balance to Revenue	8.52		
	$10.00		

Insurance

Dill and Chase	$596.08	Appropriation	$500.00
W. G. Smith	26.40	Refund	8.56
		Refund	135.00
	622.48		
Balance to Revenue	21.08		
	$643.56		$643.56

Town Reports

F. B. and F. P. Goss	$249.40	Appropriation	$300.00
Balance to Revenue	50.60		
	$300.00		

Free Bed

Cape Cod Hospital	$300.00	Appropriation	$300.00

Christmas Tree

Expenditures	$29.27	Appropriation	$35..00
Balance to Revenue	5.73		
	$35.00		

Memorial Day

Boston Regalia		Appropriation	$30.00
W. Flags	$ 7.48		
Wreaths	15.00		
	22.48		
Balance to Revenue	7.52		
	$30.00		

Town Landing

Tarmac	$35.00	Appropriation	$ 50.00
Labor and Supplies	18.40	Transferred from Revenue	10.00
	53.40		
Balance to Revenue	6.60		
	$60.00		$60.00

Expense Selling Tax Title Property

Schofield Bros.	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Notary Fees, etc.	4.03	Transferred from Revenue	6.03
Typing	2.00		
	$56.03		$56.03

Road Machinery Account

Machinery	$463.12	Appropriation	$500.00
County of Barnstable—		Transferred from	
Steel	8.40	Revenue	50.00
Repairs	64.08		16.15
Express	4.69		
Gas, oil, grease, etc.	25.86		
	$566.15		$566.15

Converting Furnace to Coal

Balance to Revenue	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Old Cemeteries

Labor and Machinery	144.60	Appropriation	$150.00
Balance to Revenue	$ 5.40		
	$150.00		

Interest

Merchants National Bank	$191.25	Appropriation	$300.00
Cape Cod Trust Co.	11.20		
	$202.45		
Balance to Revenue	97.55		
	$300.00		

Schoolhouse Note

Merchants National Bank	$1,000.00	Appropriation	$1,000.00

Temporary Loan

Cape Cod Trust Co.	$5,375.00	Loan	$5,375.00

Reserve Fund

Transfers:			
Miscellaneous	$35.00	Appropriation	$1,000.00
Town Hall	100.00		
Road Machinery	66.15		
Town Landing	10.00		
Surety on Board	2.50		
Accountant Salary and Expenses	5.06		
Treas. Coll. Clerk Expense	10.48		
Expense Selling Tax Title Property	6.03		
	235.22		
Balance to Revenue	764.78		
	$1,000.00		

Landing—Nauset Beach

Balance to 1944	$28.37	Balance Jan. 1, 1943	$28.37

Landing—Cape Cod Bay

Balance to 1944	$113.07	Balance Jan. 1, 1943	$113.07

Land Damage—Schoolhouse Road

Balance to 1944	$78.39	Balance Jan. 1, 1943	$78.39

Taking Land New School

Balance to 1944	$84.53	Balance Jan. 1, 1943	$84.53

Acquire Land Nauset Light Beach Road

Balance to 1944	$31.90	Balance Jan. 1, 1943	$31.90

TRUST FUND CASH SECURITIES LOANS

Balance December 31, 1943	$48,818.80	Balances Dec. 30, 1943:	
		World War Memorial	$ 473.11
		Cemetery Trust Funds	230.51
		Town Hall Trust Fund	2,646.25
		Billings Library Fund	14,000.00
		Town Hall Income	333.59
		Old Wind Grist Mill Operating Fund	29.51
		Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	521.58
		Eastham Community Christmas Tree Fund	76.75
		Timothy Smith Fund	30,507.50
	$48,818 .80		$48,818.80

GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT

Cash December 31, 1943	$24,265.07	
Taxes Personal, 1942	39.50	
Taxes Real 1942	32.42	
Poll Tax 1943	2.00	
Personal Tax 1943	154.84	
Real Estate Tax 1943	4,275.71	
Moth 1943	14.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1942	4.28	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1943	31.20	
Tax Titles	3,488.85	
Tax Possessions	4,599.64	
Overlay 1940	5.40	
Overlay 1941	8.81	
Old Age Assistance A/R	105.00	
Board of Health A/R	21.42	
State Aid to Highways A/R	1,638.61	
County Tax Underestimate—1943	444.16	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Revenue		$ 35.48
Special Assessment Revenue		14.00
Tax Title Revenue		7,088.49
Departmental Revenue		126.42
Overlay 1942		324.52
Overlay 1943		658.62
Overlay Reserve		2,359.67
Tailings		85.07
Overestimate State Parks and Reservations		1.18
Sale of Real Estate		2,396.91
Landing Nauset Beach		28.37
Landing Cape Cod Bay		113.07
Land Damage Schoolhouse Road		78.39
Acquire Land Nauset Light Road		31.90
Taking Land New School		84.53
Highway Machinery Fund		226.25
Public Library Trust		148.47
Old Age Assistance Federal Grant		519.51
Old Age Assistance Adm. Federal Grant		227.75
Aid Dependent Children Federal Grant		835.71
Aid Dependent Children Adm. Federal Grant		79.35
Surplus Revenue (E. and D.)		22,667.25
	$38,130.91	$38,130.91

Respectfully submitted,

L. ISABELLE BRACKETT,

Town Accountant.

Report of the Board of Welfare

The following tables of figures will give you the approximate cost to the town of the three relief agencies.

Old Age Assistance

Number of cases January 1, 1943—30	
Number of cases December 31, 1943—27	
Federal Government	$5,752.60
State	4,386.98
Town	2,048.66
Total Cash Grants	$12,188.24

Aid to Dependent Children

Number of cases January 1, 1943—4	
Number of cases December 31, 1943—4	
Federal Government	$1,003.00
State	952.33
Town	901.67
Total Cash Grants	$2,857.00

Welfare

Number of cases January 1, 1943—4	
Number of cases December 31, 1943—1	
State and other Towns	$623.11
Town	303.63
Total expenses and aid granted	$926.74

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
RALPH A. CHASE
MAURICE W. WILEY

Report on Tax Possession Land

The following report will show that the Town is in the real estate business. The Town now has over 660 pieces of land for sale, ranging in size from lots 40x80 to area of 33 acres. Included in this are Bay Shore lots, Ocean View and Beach lots, lots in the woods and wood lots.

There is a great deal of work to be done as there are several hundred more lots to look up and check before they can be added to the valuation book.

The following list of sales will show that the Town is beginning to reap a harvest from the Town Survey:

Lot	Cost	Selling Price	Gain
No. 1	$ 8.03	$ 50.00	$ 41.97
No. 2	14.54	50.00	35.46
No. 3	31.16	160.00	128.84
No. 4	40.11	100.00	69.89
No. 5	12.92	15.00	2.08
No. 6	69.94	250.00	180.06
No. 7	41.30	100.00	58.70
No. 8	28.02	60.00	31.98
No. 9		25.00	
No. 10	28.91	125.00	96.09
No. 11	14.47	25.00	12.78
No. 12	21.23	40.00	18.77
	$311.63	$1000.00	$663.37

No. 9 was a small piece sold from the large piece at the site of the First Encounter.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
MAURICE W. WILEY
Selectmen of Eastham.

Fees of Treasurer, Collector and Town Clerk

AS REPORTED TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Eastham, Mass.
Dec. 31, 1943

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Eastham, Mass.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the by-law adopted at the last Annual Town Meeting, February 1, 1943, I hereby submit the amount of fees retained by me in my Town Offices.

Collector of Taxes	Demands and Costs		$100.00
	Tax Titles		174.25
Town Clerk	Recording	$32.50	
	Pole Locations and Filing Plans	34.00	
	Birth Certificates	10.75	
	Dog Licenses Fees	12.00	
	Fish & Game Licenses Fees	30.75	
			120.00
Treasurer	Fees Bounty on Seals		5.50
			$409.75

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk, Treasurer,
Collector of Taxes.

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
MAURICE W. WILEY
Selectmen of Eastham.

Report of the Eastham Finance Committee

FOR THE YEAR 1943

The committee was duly organized with Richard H. Whitford elected Chairman and Secretary.

Transfers approved were as follows:

To Miscellaneous	$35.00	
To Town Hall	100.00	
To Highway Machinery	50.00	
To Town Landing	10.00	
To Surety on Bond	2.50	
To Acountant's Salary and Expense	5.06	
To Treas., Collector, Clerk Expense	10.48	
To Expense selling Tax Title Property	6.03	
To Road Machinery	16.15	
Total	$235.22	
Reserve Account		$1000.00
Transfers		235.22
Balance		$764.78

Respectfully submitted,

Richard H. Whitford
Carl C. French
Charles A. Gunn
Alfred O. Stowell
Raymond N. Knowles
Charles L. Holbrook
Emerson B. Wentworth
Arthur E. Brown
Ralph L. Rogers

Eastham Finance Committee.

Report of Highway Surveyor

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To Appropriation	$2,688.00	By Payment	$8,063.00
By State	5,375.00		
	$8,063.00		

Laborer's Wages	$2,445.90
Surveyor's Wages	630.90
Trucks	1,131.00
Power Grader	97.50
Bulldozer	17.50
Gravel Loader	145.00
Sand Spreader	13.00
Sweeper	2.00
Road Tar	3,277.85
Stone	185.43
Sand	37.70
Hardening	10.54
Lumber, Nails, etc.	27.38
Cement	8.80
Grader Operator	32.50
	$8,063.00

Under Article 19 in the Town Warrant, the Department is asking for an appropriation for the Machinery Fund. This appropriation if voted by the Town is for the upkeep and operating expenses of the machinery we have, and also for the buying of a Sand Spreader which we need very much. The past year on account of the shortage of labor we were forced to try covering the tar with a spreader

which worked out very satisfactory. It saves carting sand out in piles on the sides of the roads, and the cleaning up of the surplus left after the road has been sanded. It also costs less money to cover the tar this way as the sand is taken right from the sand bank as it is needed and does not have to be handled but once.

The price of this Spreader is $190.00 and the balance of the appropriation of $250.00 which we are asking for is for the operating expenses and upkeep of our other machinery we have.

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN A. NICKERSON,

Highway Surveyor.

Antiaircraft Artillery Training Center

HEADQUARTERS
ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY TRAINING CENTER

Office of the Commanding General

Cp Edwards, Mass.
11 January 1944

Board of Selectmen
Town of Eastham
Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Upon the completion of the Wellfleet Antiaircraft-Artillery Firing Range, I wish to take this means of thanking you and through you the many public-spirited citizens of Eastham for the assistance you so patriotically offered, and the kindly advice so generously given in helping to finish the construction as speedily as possible. Your efforts in our behalf will have a direct bearing on the war effort.

I believe it fitting that our Eastham neighbors should have the opportunity of visiting the Wellfleet Range and seeing something of the training in progress. Accordingly, as soon as the season moderates and an out-of-doors tour becomes more feasible, I plan to hold an "Open House" at the Wellfleet Range. The date will be made known to you in due course of time, and I hope all of you will find it convenient to attend.

Very sincerely yours,

J. E. HARRIMAN
Brigadier General, USA
Commanding

Librarian's Report

Number volumes catalogued	6,732
Number volumes added	164
Number volumes borrowed	4,795
Total fines received	$19.67

As usual we were able to borrow books from Division of Public Libraries at State House, Boston, both for School and Library.

Many summer guests used our Library as usual, and complimented us on the fine books found on our shelves, for such a small Library.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. BLANCHE A. KEEFE,

Librarian.

Annual Report of Shellfish Constable

Shellfishing for family use has assumed a place of importance in 1943. With the West Shore closed to commercial clamming, the clams planted there in November, 1941 have been a welcome source of food for residents and summer visitors alike. The Salt Pond has been a never-failing source of quahogs and little necks. This fall and winter the oysters planted there late in 1941 have furnished many families with choice food that, without this planting, would have been unobtainable.

The attitude of nearly everyone I contacted was one of cooperation and appreciation. The number of conscious violations of shellfish regulations has been negligible.

Commercial shellfishing in Eastham this year, with three exceptions, reached a low point. This was due, partly to the small number of men left in Eastham who depend on shellfish for a living, and partly to a number of adverse conditions.

In January and February of 1943, large quantities of quahogs were taken from the Salt Pond River where the "take" exceeded 60 bushels on some days. This in spite of bitter weather. The quahog planting previously done in the River, augmented by a good natural set of quahog seed, proved a valued source of income for at least twenty Eastham men in a period when weather conditions had stopped many usual sources of income.

Billingsgate Island proved an unexpected source of clams for a number of Eastham men late this summer. With clams priced as high as $8 a barrel, several men dug two

barrels a day for a considerable period. In my estimation, Billingsgate clams and quahogs deserve added attention and protection.

Dragging profits for Rock Harbor boats reached a new high this year, due largely to the new market for sea clams. An increase to $5 for dragging permits was met by most of the fishermen with a cooperative attitude. The number of Eastham-owned draggers was increased, and several Eastham men found work on Orleans-owned boats. The sea clam industry is one which will bear watching and support.

No propagation was carried on this year. Quahog seed was unavailable. The oyster seed in the Salt Pond River was maturing rapidly. And we had an almost unprecedented set of clams over almost all of the Nauset Bay and part of the Town Cove areas.

An attempt was made in conjunction with Orleans to clear Nauset Harborway to increase the flow of water in the Town Cove and Nauset Bay. This experiment was a failure, so the work was stopped before the money allocated had been used up.

With a sufficient appropriation an effort will be made (with the cooperation of the State Bureau of Marine Fisheries) to reduce the menace of round wrinkles in Nauset Bay. A planting program for 1944 should include: a renewal of the oyster seed in the Salt Pond River for family use, transplanting of clam seed to the West Shore areas also for family use, and if available, a moderate planting of quahog seed in the Nauset Bay and Salt Pond areas for commercial as well as family use.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP J. SCHWIND
Shellfish Constable.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND THE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

OF THE

Town of Eastham

FOR THE YEAR

1943

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Stanley M. Walker, Chairman	Term expires 1946
Katherine A. Moore, Secretary	Term expires 1945
Bernard C. Collins	Term expires 1944

UNION SUPERINTENDENT

Charles H. Pratt

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Walter Nickerson

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. A. P. Goff

SCHOOL NURSE

Mary Morris Sullivan

EASTHAM FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	Expended in 1943		Needed in 1944
General Control:			
School Committee, Salary and Expenses	$ 200.00		
Superintendent of Schools, Enforcement of Law—			
Salaries and Travel	630.04		
Office Expenses	24.73		
		$ 854.77	$ 891.00
Instruction:			
Supervisors	806.00		
Principal and Teachers	4,275.00		
Textbooks	38.03		
Supplies	161.60		
		5,280.63	5,436.00
Operation:			
Janitors			
Fuel	552.71		
Lights, Gas, Janitors' Supplies	143.46		
		696.17	745.00
Maintenance:			
Repairs, Replacement, Upkeep	34.89		
		34.89	300.00

Auxiliary Agencies:			
Libraries	10.00		
Transportation	3,600.00		
Tuition	4,630.28		
Graduation, Phone, Insurance, Lunch, Telephone, Etc.	248.79		
		8,489.07	11,040.00
Outlay:			
New Grounds and Buildings			
New Equipment	856.47		
		856.47	150.00
Total		$16,212.00	$18,562.00
Appropriated for 1943		$16,563.00	
Expended in 1943		16,212.00	
Balance Unexpended		$351.00	

NET COST OF SCHOOLS, YEAR 1943

Total Expenditures			$16,212.00
Accounts Receivable:			
Mass. General School Fund Part I		$600.00	
City of Boston, Tuition	466.45		
City of Boston, Transportation	162.82		
		629.27	
Mass. Reimbursement for High School Transportation		2,048.78*	
Mass. Reimbursement on account of Supt. of Schools		220.31	
Receipts from School Lunch		563.40	
Receipts from Milk Sold		140.16	
Telephone Toll Calls		2.91	
			4,204.83
			$12,007.17

*This item was not received by the Town Treasurer until after the books were closed for 1943.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

Special Lunch Appropriation	$2000.00
Expenditures	1506.79
Balance	$493.21

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Eastham:

I submit, herewith, the School Report for the Year 1943.

The Eastham School has continued its program in much the same way as in former years. Some changes have come, but they have not made it necessary to lower the standards of the school. Between October 1, 1942, and the same date in 1943, the membership dropped from fifty-nine to forty-five.

Mrs. Hooper resigned at the close of the school year in June and, for a time, the question of reducing the number of teachers to two was under consideration as an emergency economy measure. I am pleased to be able to record the fact that this measure was not adopted.

Through good fortune it has been possible to obtain Mrs. Vesta Gould to teach primary grades. In these critical days of teacher shortages this school is favored indeed to have the benefit of such a fine faculty.

Forty-five is a small number of pupils for three teachers, it is true. Eight grades are represented, notwithstanding. There are nearly as many classes as when there were more pupils and, although the per-pupil cost of instruction is somewhat higher, I am glad that educational opportunities for children were not restricted in order to effect the saving which would result.

Dollars do not measure the value of a good teacher, nor does the saving of dollars compensate when any but the best are secured.

Mr. Nickerson makes a very concise report, as follows:

"No great changes have taken place in our school since the last report. Mrs. Gould, who replaced Mrs. Hooper in the Primary School, is achieving superior results with her small group as well as giving valuable reading aid to Grade III.

"The school lunch is proving a marked success, and Miss Boocock and Mrs. Scrivens are unselfishly giving our children excellent balanced menus which, we feel, add much to the quality of our regular school work. Many townspeople have given surplus farm products and we wish to publicly thank them for their thoughtfulness."

Music and drawing are subjects which are given considerable attention in this school. I include reports from the supervisors of those subjects here.

Miss Eleanor Anifantis, Supervisor of Vocal Music, says:

"Our vocal music program has been altered so that we, too, may make definite contributions to the war effort. Perhaps we could adopt the slogan, 'Business as Usual—Plus.' We are still stressing proper use of voice, skill in music reading, part singing, music appreciation, and a knowledge of master composers. This, however, is not enough.

"We have added the singing of many service songs so that the children will have a better understanding of the fine work that is being done by the members of the armed forces.

"To increase the collecting of scrap and the buying of war stamps, in some classes the children have made up appropriate words which are set to familiar tunes.

"We are singing more of our own American tunes to remind us of what we are fighting for. We are also learning the National Anthems of the United Nations, and the correct singing of the Star Spangled Banner.

"Vocal music contributes to the new physical fitness program by stressing correct breathing and good posture. It also creates a cheery atmosphere which is conducive to good mental hygiene.

"In these days of conflict and strife, every child needs emotional release. We are, therefore, putting emphasis not on the specialized training of a select few, but, rather on group singing in which everyone may participate. This creates good fellowship and tolerance which is sorely needed in post-war planning.

"In the singing of folk songs of other countries, we want the pupils to realize that we will have to learn to live at peace with everybody—regardless of cultural, social, or racial differences. It is our hope that the singing of patriotic songs will emphasize love of country and its ideals rather than hate of our enemies.

"Music, the international language, is one of the channels through which we hope to facilitate and hasten post-war education. So we will not only continue to 'sing our way to victory', but we will also sing our way to peace."

REPORT ON INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

By Mr. Thomas Nassi

"Present conditions more than ever make it imperative that the young people in our schools be given healthy emotional outlets to offset their unnatural state of mind due to stress of war. Young people, although they do not show it, do experience the tremendous stress they are going through.

It is our duty not to curtail, but, if possible, to increase the school activities. Music is one of the greatest elements that furnish us with a healthy emotional outlet.

"Fortunately our Cape schools have not undergone as much change as the schools in the larger and industrial communities. As a result, we have no problem of juvenile delinquency.

"We have had to eliminate inter-state and most of inter-town musical activities on account of transportation. To offset this we encourage more small ensemble groups; trios, quartets, etc. We urge children to listen to the better radio programs, especially the N.B.C., the New York Philharmonic, and the Boston Symphony broadcasts. We urge parents also to listen to these beautiful programs. As children learn to play and sing themes of great music in their own school orchestras and choruses, they also learn to listen intelligently to those same works performed by great orchestras and choruses.

"During the war period there always is a swing from the arts to the machine; from the great works of music to the commonplace and primitive tinglings of Tin Pan Alley. Freedom of thought and action is impaired. It is our duty to take care that even in the midst of a war our children should not lose the opportunity to have a musical training. We must strive to hold on to the progress attained. We must continue to create beauty.

"The Eastham instrumental groups consist of the following:

Band—12 Orchestra—16 Beginners—8

"Every instrumental pupil receives private instruction from Mrs. Nassi. The first and second grades are taught elementary notations and rhythm. Mr. Nickerson, Mrs. Horton, and Mrs. Gould give us their fullest cooperation. The orchestra has participated in several town activities, and the band in the memorial exercises."

Mr. Clarence Brayton submits the following report as Supervisor of Art:

"In looking over the statistics of the Art Department for the School Years 1941-2 and 1942-3 we find a drop in our enrollment from 70 to 40 pupils due to war-time conditions. An average total expenditure for this department for those two years comes to $63.52. This figure includes salary, transportation, and materials purchased. An average of 55 pupils would mean a cost of $4.16 per pupil per year, or $33.28 per pupil for the eight years of school in which they are required to follow our program.

"We are laying a foundation and workable background in our art program that may be used in the High School work or that may be of interest and be helpful in later life."

Dr. Goff, County Health Officer, makes the following report as our School Physician:

"The regular work connected with the schools in this county has been conducted as usual by all concerned. All of the nurses, physicians, and others have been active and efficient with their duties.

"The usual diphtheria immunization clinics have been and are being held as usual. The only case of diphtheria reported recently was in a woman of middle age who had, of course, not been immunized. She had very slight symptoms and was, in a way, more a 'carrier' than a case.

"All schools have, of course, had the regular physical examination of pupils. The feet are, at present, being examined somewhat more carefully than usual at request of the state.

"The usual tuberculosis clinics have been held throughout the county by those officials and others who regularly do this work.

"Such communicable diseases as have occurred have not interfered with school activities. Only one case of infantile paralysis was reported in the county, although there was a considerable amount in some other sections.

"Dental clinics have been held as usual by dentists using the county apparatus and by those having the clinics in their offices.

"Special attention is being given to the vision test, as has been done for some time. All schools are, of course, visited regularly by the school physicians and nurses.

"The cooperation of all superintendents and school committees and of all interested in school work has been excellent at all times.

"Every effort is made to see that physical defects are corrected where possible, and it is believed that conditions in the schools improve from year to year. We will make every effort to the end that all work in connection with the schools be conducted for the coming year in as satisfactory a manner as possible."

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE'S REPORT

"Public health has been defined as 'the art and science of preventing disease, prolonging life, and promoting physical and mental efficiency through organized community effort.' This definition states the keynote of Eastham's heath program.

"Diseases have been prevented by communicable disease control. Immunization procedures, particularly for the prevention of smallpox, diphtheria, as well as the other communicable diseases of early childhood, are stressed during the pre-school period.

"Effort has been made to minimize the ill effects of the disease after it has invaded the community by stressing

importance of isolation and quarantine. Most parents have been cooperative, and it is only by this splendid cooperation that the desired control can be effected.

"In promoting physical and mental efficiency, emphasis has been placed on preschool and school health, as best results in preventive medicine are secured in the early formative years of the individual's life.

"The services offered to the infant and preschool child includes a Well Child Conference at which parents have the opportunity of consulting a noted pediatrician and obtaining a complete physical examination of the child. As a follow-up of this Conference, instruction of the parent in the techniques of child care and in the principles of nutrition and methods of protection against disease is available.

"The school hygiene is closely tied on the one hand to the care which the child received in the home which, in turn, depends upon the intelligence of the parents in relation to heath matters, and, on the other hand, to the health facilities offered by the community.

"The physical measurements of visual acuity and hearing have been carried on under the best known scientific procedures. Orthopedic services are available for handicapped children with a social worker and physiotherapist in attendance. The Child Guidance Clinic affords an excellent resource for parents to seek advice of personality difficulties and undesirable habits.

"Since dental disease is the most prevalent of the physical defects among school children, dental health education occupies a major place in the program of health education of the school.

"The effectiveness of this program is evaluated in terms of the percentage of children in the school system who have all defects corrected. Fortunately, the greater

percentage of children complete their care at the clinics provided by the Board of Health. It is difficult, in many cases, to get a dental certificate from the few who do not avail themselves of this excellent resource.

"Nutrition is closely allied with dental health. The school cafeteria affords an excellent teaching exercise in nutrition by presenting the proper foods in an attractive way. It teaches the essential principles of a well-balanced diet.

"Thanks are extended to all who in any way contributed to the Health Program.

STATISTICAL REPORT

School Hygiene

Admitted to Nursing Service	39
Field Visits	65
Examinations by Dr. A. P. Goff	61
Inspections by nurse	973
Health talks	28

Dental Hygiene

Number of Dental Operations	102
Number of Fillings and Extractions	70
Number of Prophylaxis	32

Eye Hygiene

Number examined	61
Number of defects corrected	3

Audiometer Tests

Number tested	61
Defective Hearing	3

Preschool Hygiene	
Admitted to Nursing Service	34
Field Visits	168
Well Child Conference	26
Tuberculosis	
Admitted to Nursing Service	3
Field Visits	19
Crippled Children's Service	
Admitted to Nursing Service	3
Field Visits	8
Child Guidance Clinic	
Admitted to Nursing Service	3
Field Visits	11
Communicable Disease	
Number of Whooping Cough	5
Field Visits	11

Respectfully submitted,

MARY MORRIS SULLIVAN
Public Health Nurse''

Insulation of ceilings and the addition of storm windows have been items of outlay that will be appreciated for the comfort they bring and the fuel economy which will result in the future as well as at present. Storm entrances over outside doors also should prove very beneficial.

The foregoing record shows that the pupils of Eastham during the past year have followed the usual school program which, through a period of years, has reached the present state of usefulness. I trust that it may be maintained

during the emergency period and that such adjustments as the future may require may be made in line of further progress.

A good school is a cooperative enterprise. Teachers alone cannot do the whole job. We should not fail to recognize the interest expressed and help rendered by those who have so generously assisted with the club activities and the lunch program. Such active interest, directed through channels of helpfulness, is an inspiration to everyone associated with Eastham School.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. PRATT,

Superintendent of Schools

EASTHAM

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

October 1, 1943

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
1	2	2	4
2	1	2	3
3	4	3	7
4	2	4	6
5	3	1	4
6	3	5	8
7	—	6	6
8	3	4	7

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP BY GRADES

1933 - 1943

October 1, 1943

Gr.	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943
1	12	11	8	14	9	9	12	9	11	3	4
2	8	12	17	8	14	13	10	7	6	11	3
3	16	10	10	14	9	13	9	7	9	5	7
4	17	14	15	11	10	7	11	11	7	8	6
5	12	17	11	13	10	12	8	8	13	7	4
6	14	14	14	15	14	11	9	8	8	9	8
7	11	11	11	11	9	15	10	9	9	6	6
8	7	10	11	11	10	6	14	10	9	10	7
	97	99	97	97	85	86	83	69	72	59	45

EASTHAM STUDENTS WHO ATTEND ORLEANS HIGH SCHOOL

During the Period Sept. 8, 1943 to Dec. 24, 1943

Name	Grade
Eldredge, Walter	12
Escobar, Antone	12
Escobar, Mary	12
Hayes, Robert	12
Hopkins, Wendell	12
Moore, Carolyn	12
Walker, Winifred	12
Wiley, Russell	12
Eldredge, Luther	11
Brewer, Muriel	11
Chase, Charles	11
Gunn, Wilfred	11
Johnson, David	11
Nickerson, Norma	11
Reimers, Martin	11
Benner, Dorothea	10
Brewer, Donald	10
Emond, Franklin	10
Hayes, William	10
Meunier, Loretta	10
Nickerson, Gordon	10
Stoke, Teresa	10

Name	Grade
Acorn, Norma	9
Brewer, Leonard	9
Brown, Francis	9
Chase, Maude	9
Clark, Richard	9
Collins, Kenelm	9
Hayes, Thomas	9
Hopkins, Harry	9
Putnam, Joseph	9
Steele, Virginia	9
Wiles, Robert	9

EASTHAM SCHOOL CENSUS

CHILDREN RESIDENT IN TOWN OCTOBER 1, 1943

	Boys	Girls	Total
5 Years or Over and Under 7	4	4	8
7 Years or Over and Under 16	29	27	56
			64

Distribution of the Above Minors

In public day school membership:	
5 year or over and under 7	7
7 years or over and under 16	55
In State and County Institutions:	
7 years or over and under 16	1
Not enrolled in any day school:	
5 years or over and under 7	1
7 years or over and under 16	0

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

For the School Year ending June 25, 1943

Robert Cross — Manuel Escobar

FAITHFUL ATTENDANCE

(Absent 3 days or less during the School Year ending June 25, 1943)

Norma Clark
Maude Chase
Harry Hopkins
Virginia Parker
Lois Steele
Norman Reimers

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Year 1943 - 1944

September 8 to December 24, 1943	16 weeks	73 days
January 3 to February 18, 1944	7 weeks	35 days
February 28 to April 14, 1944	7 weeks	35 days
April 24 to June 14, 1944	8 weeks	37 days
	38 weeks	180 days

There will be no school on the following days:

Oct. 12, 1943—Tues.—Columbus Day

Nov. 11 and 12, 1943—Thurs. and Fri.—Armistice Day

Nov. 25 and 26, 1943—Thurs. and Fri.—Thanksgiving

Dec. 26, 1943 to Jan. 2, 1944—Christmas Vacation

Feb. 20 to 26, 1944—February Vacation

April 16 to 22, 1944—Spring Vacation

May 30, 1944—Tuesday—Memorial Day Recess

Graduation Exercises— Wednesday, June 14, 1944 at the school—7:30 p. m.

Sept. 5, 1944—Faculty Meeting of the Town of Chatham, Eastham, Harwich and Orleans will be held at Chatham School at 9:30 a. m.

Sept. 6, 1944—Classes meet for the first session of the new school year—1944-1945

CORPS OF TEACHERS, JANUARY, 1944

Name	School	Preparation	Year Appointed	Experience Prior Sept. 1943	Salary	Home Address
Otto E. Nickerson	Grammar	Hyannis Normal	1924	24 yrs	$1,800	Eastham
Virginia F. Horton	Intermediate	Bridgewater Normal	1925	20 yrs	1 500	Eastham
Vesta Gould	Primary	Hyannis Normal and Exten. Courses	1943	8 yrs	1,000	Eastham
Eleanor Anifantis	Vocal Music	Lowell Normal	1942	1 yr	154	Arlington
Thomas Nassi	Inst. Music	N. E. Conservatory	1929	15 yrs	500	Orleans
Clarence K. Brayton	Art	Mass. School of Art	1939	4 yrs	176	Harwich

CLASS OF 1943

Graduation Exercises were held at the Eastham School
June 30, 1943

Norma Acorn
Leonard Jameson Brewer, Jr.
Francis Stewart Brown
Maude Warren Chase
Richard Freeman Clark
Kenelm Nickerson Collins
Jeannette Curran
Thomas Frederick Hayes
Harry Elmer Hopkins
Joseph Lincoln Putnam
Virginia Ellyn Steele
Robert Neville Wiles

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Including Recommendations of the Eastham Finance Committee

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the seventh day of February next, at ~~one~~ ten o'clock in the ~~after~~fore noon, then and there to act on the following articles in this Warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in Eastham at 12:30 P.M. on Tuesday, the eighth day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Polls to be opened at 12:30 P.M. and may be closed at 6:00 P.M.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report including recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to defray departmental expenses for the ensuing year:

	Dept. Heads' Recom-dation	Fin. Com. Recom-dation
SALARIES:		
Moderator	$ 25.00	$ 25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00	50.00
Constable	50.00	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00	50.00
Selectmen	900.00	900.00
Board of Welfare	600.00	600.00
Assessors	500.00	500.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	2,000.00	1,750.00
Accountant	350.00	350.00
EXPENSES:		
Selectmen and Assessors	175.00	175.00
Accountant	30.00	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector Expenses	400.00	350.00
Officers'Traveling	100.00	100.00
Election Department	200.00	200.00
Surety on Bond	110.00	110.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00	10.00
Legal Expense	75.00	75.00
Janitor	1,248.00	1,248.00
Town Hall	900.00	900.00
Suppression of Crime	100.00	150.00
Town Fires	50.00	50.00
Orleans Fire Department	200.00	200.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	100.00	100.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	40.00	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	30.00	30.00
Moth Suppression	800.00	800.00
Tree Warden	20.00	20.00
Health	200.00	200.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00	40.00
Dog Account	20.00	20.00
Highway General	200.00	200.00
Snow	300.00	300.00
Public Welfare	1,000.00	1,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2,000.00	2,000.00
Old Age Assistance	6,000.00	6,000.00
Soldiers' Benefits	300.00	300.00
Schools	18,562.00	17,500.00
Tax Title	250.00	250.00
Town Landings	100.00	100.00
Memorial Day	30.00	30.00
Community Christmas Tree	35.00	35.00
Town Reports	300.00	300.00
Finance Committee	10.00	10.00
Insurance	400.00	400.00
Miscellaneous	125.00	125.00
Reserve	1,000.00	1,000.00
Old Cemeteries	150.00	150.00

Interest	200.00	200.00
Schoolhouse Note	663.74	663.74
Town Dump	200.00	200.00
	$41,273.74	$39,961.74

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Recommended that one be elected. Unanimous vote.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommended that the refunded Dog Tax be made available to the Public Library. Unanimous vote.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, provided the State makes a satisfactory allotment, for repair and maintenance of Town Ways under Chapter 81, Sections 26-29, G.L. as amended.

Recommended an appropriation of $2688.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Sec. 17, Chapter 44, G.L.

Recommend that the Treasurer be so authorized. Unanimous vote.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of re-

imbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Sec. 17, Chapter 44, G.L.

Recommend that the Treasurer be so authorized. Unanimous vote.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Recommend the appropriation of $100.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $1000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter III, Sec. 74, G.L. or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend the appropriation of $300.00 Unanimous vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of Shellfish, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend the appropriation of $600.00 for the following purposes: Constable's salary $350.00; shellfish protection $150.00 and propagation $100.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 10. To see what sums of money shall be taken from available funds towards defraying the tax levy for 1944.

Recommend that the sum of $5000.00 be taken from available funds. Unanimous vote.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels, and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Sec. 52, Chapter 130, G.L., as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Sec. 57, Chapter 130, G.L., as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 13. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Sec. 54, Chapter 130, G.L., as amended by the Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56, G.L., as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote, and an appropriation of $150.00 be made. Unanimous vote.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of Twenty-five Cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and appropriate the sum of $30.00 for this purpose.

Recommend that the Town appropriate the sum of $30.00 and pay a bounty of .50 each. Unanimous vote.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the operating expense of the Town Ration Board.

Recommend the appropriation of $60.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to establish a road machinery account for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery.

Recommend the appropriation of $250.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1943 bills, under the provisions of Chapter 179, Acts of 1941.

Recommend an appropriation if needed. Unanimous vote.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Civilian Defense, under the provisions of Chapter 487, Acts of 1941.

Recommend an appropriation of $350.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $336.26 from the following accounts: Landing at Nauset Beach $28.37; landing Cape Cod Bay $113.07; land damage Schoolhouse Road $78.39, acquiring land at Nauset Light $31.90 and taking land at new school $94.53, for the purpose of paying off the school note, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend the transfer of these sums. Unanimous vote.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 toward the installing and maintaining a light at Rock Harbor, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Do not recommend any appropriation. Unanimous vote.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to hold for public use the piece of shore and meadow land it now owns, obtained through tax title procedure, shown on the assessors' map as Block 48 Lot 31, near the site of the first encounter, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for athletic equipment to be used by the children of the town, and grant the use of

the Town Hall or Schoolhouse for recreational purposes or take any action thereto and act fully thereon. (By request.)

Do not recommend that the Town Hall be used for athletic purposes. Unanimous vote.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, and appropriate a sum of money for the same.

Recommend the increase of $250.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to purchase War Bonds or other bonds in order to establish a Post-War Rehabilitation Fund in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 5, Acts of 1943.

Recommend the appropriation of $5000.00 from available funds. Unanimous vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham; at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham; at the Post Office in North Eastham, and at the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said Meeting as aforesaid. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said Meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 12th day of January in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-four.

RALPH A. CHASE
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
MAURICE W. WILEY
Selectmen of Eastham.

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EASTHAM HONOR ROLL

Those in the Armed Service Dec. 31, 1944

ARMY

ACORN, CHARLES Jr.
ATWOOD, CHARLES F. Jr.
BREWER, JAMES R.
CLARK, EDWARD A. D.
ELDREDGE, LEWIS W.
ESCOBAR, CHARLES P.
ESCOBAR, ANTONE P. Jr.
FULCHER, ROBERT E.
FULLER, FRANK A.
HAYES, JULIAN C.
HURD, BROOKS H.
KING, JOSEPH A.
LE FLEUR, RAYMOND F.
LEE, IRVING S.
MAHONEY, WILLIAM E.
MAYO, LLOYD A.
MOORE, HERBERT L.
MOORE, WESLEY B.
NICKERSON, A. HENRY
NICKERSON, VERNON
NICKERSON, RAYMOND
PAULL, JOHN A.
SCHOFIELD, WINFORD L.
SCRIVENS, ROBERT K.
SIMON, NICHOLAS D.
SPARROW, DANIEL W. Jr.
STEELE, WILLIAM B. Jr.
VIDLER, ROBERT D.

ARMY AIR CORP.

BENNER, LOUIE A.
DANIELS, JESSE E.
ELDREDGE, WALTER C. Jr.
HAYES, ROBERT W.
HORTON, EDWIN W. Jr.
MAYO, KENNETH F.
NICKERSON, HERBERT D. Jr.
SPARROW, FENTON B.

MARINE CORP.

PRINCE, BARBARA A.
RICH, ALBION F. Jr.

MERCHANT MARINE

CAMPBELL, CYRUS H.
NICKERSON, BERNARD C.

NAVY

BECKER, CLYDE L.
BREWER, HOWARD E.
BREWER, ROBERT M.
CAMPBELL, CHARLES N.
COLLINS, BERNARD C. Jr.
COLLINS, ROBERT E.
CROSBY, JOHN B.
DESCHAMPS, ROBERT L.
HOFFMAN, ROBERT
HOPKINS, WENDELL R.
JOHNSON, DAVID E.
KING, GEORGE O.
KNOWLES, PAUL W.
LEE, R. RICHARD
LLOYD, ELMER W.
NICKERSON, RICHARD C.
PEARSON, ROBERT
WATSON, WILLIAM M.
WILSON, ERNEST CLYDE

COAST GUARD

BROWN, JAMES
FULCHER, EZEKIEL D.
LINCOLN, FRANK B.
NICKERSON, ARTHUR C.
NICKERSON, GEORGE
ORMSBY, RALPH L.
RONGNER, GEORGE E.
TARVERS, LEONARD E.
YOUNGREN, EARL

★★★★★ IN MEMORIAM ★★★★★

1st LT. ROBERT W. SPARROW

Born in Eastham, Massachusetts, December 8th, 1918

He was a pilot on a Flying Fortress and was lost in action over Hanover, Germany, Sept. 12, 1944, on his 18th mission.

On Aug. 2nd, 1944, he received the following citation:

For meritorious achievement in accomplishing with distinction, several aerial operational missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. The courage, coolness, and skill displayed by this individual in the face of determined opposition, materially aided in the successful completion of these missions. His actions reflect great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States.

At this time he was awarded the Air Medal and one Oak Leaf Cluster. The Presidential Citation and the Purple Heart Citation were awarded posthumously.

WARREN LEIGH WILSON

Born November 28, 1896
Died April 26, 1942

One of 10 men lost on the S. S. Alcoa Partner Torpedoed in the Caribbean Sea while transporting vital war material.

Served in the Coast Artillery during World War I.

★★★★★ IN MEMORIAM ★★★★★

TOWN OFFICERS
FOR THE YEAR 1944

Selectmen, Board of Assessors, Board of Health and Registrars of Voters

Maurice W. Wiley, Chr.	Term expires 1946
Edward D. Penniman	Term expires 1945
George Howard	Term expires 1947

Board of Welfare

George Howard, Chr.	Term expires 1947
Edward D. Penniman	Term expires 1945
Maurice W. Wiley	Term expires 1946

Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector and Registrars of Voters

Leslie E. Chase

Highway Surveyor

Nathan A. Nickerson

Trustees of the Public Library

Otto E. Nickerson, Chr.	Term expires 1946
Esther I. Gunn	Term expires 1947
Dorrice M. Mayo	Term expires 1945
Rebecca A. Sherman	(appointed to fill out Mrs. Mayo's Term)

Moderator

Charles F. Atwood

Constables

Harvey T. Moore
Philip J. Schwind (Designated Shellfish Constable)

Tree Warden

Ernest M. Moore

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Town Accountant
Isabelle Brackett

Inspector of Cattle and Slaughtering
Harry W. Collins

Moth Superintendent
Ernest M. Moore

Pound Keeper
Harry W. Collins

Field Drivers
Adin L. Gill Warren A. Goff Arthur E. Brown

Custodian of Town Dump
Charles P. Escobar

Forest Fire Warden
Nathan A. Nickerson

Shellfish Constable
Philip J. Schwind

Burial Agent
Herbert D. Nickerson

Sealer of Weights and Measures
Stanley M. Walker

Chief of Police
Maurice W. Wiley

Special Police
Walter A. Nickerson Horace A. Moore Alfred O. Stowell
Herman A. Dill Leslie E. Chase

Sanitary and Milk Inspectors
George F. Crocker Alton Robbins (Assistant)

Inspector of Wires
Maurice A. Moore

Supervisor of Old Cemeteries and Soldier's and Sailor's Lots
Fred F. Dill

Finance Committee

Alfred O. Stowell, Chairman and Secretary	Term expires 1945
Raymond N. Knowles	Term expires 1945
Charles L. Holbrook	Term expires 1945
Emerson B. Wentworth	Term expires 1946
Ralph L. Rogers	Term expires 1946
Arthur E. Brown	Term expires 1946
Harold L. Arnold	Term expires 1947
Harry S. Young	Term expires 1947
Alfred L. Gill	Term expires 1947

LIST OF JURORS

Prepared by the Board of Selectmen, in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 234, of the General Laws.

Name	Occupation	Residence
Charles L. Holbrook	Laborer	South Eastham
Andrew H. Merril	Piano Tuner	Eastham
Alfred L. Gill	Merchant	Eastham
Herman E. Mahoney	Insurance Agent	Eastham
Walter L. Campbell	Caretaker	Eastham
Maurice W. Wiley	Farmer	North Eastham
Raymond Scrivens	Postmaster	North Eastham

MAURICE W. WILEY
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
GEORGE HOWARD
Selectmen of Eastham

Assessors' Report

This Town was one of the few Towns on the Cape to be visited by the Hurricane and several heavy gales and still have a small loss in valuation from the damage they caused.

The loss was mostly old barns with very low valuation. Several of these will be replaced by structures of higher valuation in the near future.

The loss in valuation was less than two-thousand dollars and there has been enough new building to overcome this.

At the 1944 Town Meeting there was talk of a Tax Rate of $24.00. After communications with the Tax Commissioner a rate of $25.00 was set. This was done without taking any money from available funds as the Town received $3,528.82 from the Gasoline Tax which was not expected.

Though the Town has a good balance in the Surplus Revenue Account, now with the State losing so much in revenue, their funds to the town will be smaller and this balance will be needed to stabilize the tax rate in the future.

VALUATION OF TOWN JANUARY 1, 1944

Real Estate, Land	$ 401,480.00
Real Estate, Buildings	940,900.00
Personal Estate	145,170.00
Total Valuation	$1,487,550.00

TAXES ASSESSED TO DECEMBER 31, 1944

Levied on Real Estate	$33,559.50
Levied on Personal Estate	3,629.25
Levied on Polls	408.00
Moth Assessment	100.00
Motor Vehicle Excise	698.21
Rate of Taxation	25.00
Number of Polls Assessed	208
Number of Horses Assessed	4
Number of Cows Assessed	35
Number of Neat Cattle other than Cows Assessed	5
Number of Swine Assessed	8
Number of Fowl Assessed	1512
Number of Goats Assessed	4
Acres of Land Assessed	6830.16

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE W. WILEY
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
GEORGE HOWARD

Board of Assessors

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—EASTHAM 1944 RECAPITULATION

		Figures Used In Fixing Tax Rates
A. CITY OR TOWN: Include all Appropriations Voted Since 1943 Tax Rate was Fixed. G.L. Chap. 59, 23, 25		
1. Total Appropriations as certified by city or town clerk to be raised by Taxation. Chap. 41, 15A		$ 46,603.74
2. Total appropriations voted to be taken from available funds:		
(a) In 1944		10,459.60
(b) Deficits due to abatements in excess of overlay of prior years 1940	$5.40	
1941	8.81	14.21
B. STATE: Tax and Assessments:	1944 Estimates	
1. State Tax	$2,783.00	
2. State Parks and Reservations	38.87	
3. Cape Cod Mosquito Control (Barnstable County only	520.45	
4. State Audit of Municipal Accounts	579.06	
		3,921.38
C. COUNTY: Tax and Assessments:		
1. County Tax $3,977.58 Underestimate 444.16		4,421.74
OVERLAY of Current Year		2,460.87
E. **Gross Amount To Be Raised**		$67,881.54
F. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS		
1. Income Tax	$3,834.65	
2. Corporation Taxes	2,068.55	
3. Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	800.00	
4. Licenses	481.61	
5. Fines (Library)	20.97	
6. Special Assessments (Moth)	91.00	

7.	Gasoline Tax under Acts 1943, Chap. 569	3,528.82	
8.	Charities (other than federal grants for aid to dependent children)	1,200.00	
9.	Old Age Assistance (other than federal grants)	3,500.00	
10.	Old Age Tax (Meals) Chap. 64B., 10, G.L.	244.67	
11.	Soldiers benefits	100.00	
12.	Schools—State and Boston	3,571.87	
13.	Interest on Taxes	223.60	
14.	Inspection of Animals	20.00	
15.	Sealer of Weights and Measures	7.76	
16.	Reimbursement on Account of State owned Land	7.17	
17.	Dog Tax (Library)	123.34	
		$19,824.01	
18.	Overestimates of Previous Year to be used as available funds (State Park)	1.18	
19.	Amounts voted to be taken from available funds	10,459.60	
	TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS		30,284.79
G.	**Net Amount to Be Raised by Taxation on Polls and Property**		$37,596.75
H.	Number of Polls, 204, at $2.00 each Poll Tax	$ 408.00	
J.	Total Valuation: Personal Property $145,107 Tax	3,629.25	
	Real Estate 1,342,380 Tax	33,559.50	
K.	**TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON POLLS AND PROPERTY**		$37,596.75
L.	Items not entering into the determination of the Tax Rate		
	1. Betterment and special assessments:		
	(a) Private Moth	100.00	
M.	**Total of all other committments**		100.00
N.	**Total amount of all Taxes on Polls and Property and Assessments Committed to the Collector to Date of Fixing Tax Rate**		$37,696.75

Report on Sales of Tax Possession Land

The past year there have been quite a few sales of land as the report below will show.

There have been many inquiries and it looks as if there would be many sales in the future.

The expense of $592.17 you will find itemized in the auditor's accounts of tax possession land.

This expense was not broken down and charged against the lots as much of the surveying was done on lots not sold yet.

There was a fee of 5% charged for showing lots, use of car, and etc.

Lot	Cost	Sale Price	Gain
1.	$ 26.13	$ 131.25	$ 105.12
2.	46.08	250.00	203.92
3.	12.55	50.00	37.45
4.	26.13	150.00	123.87
5.	18.98	50.00	31.02
6.	32.61	200.00	167.39
7.	12.18	50.00	37.82
8.	39.42	218.75	179.33
9.	12.17	75.00	62.83
10.	35.97	40.00	4.03
11.	125.86	1,365.00	1,239.14
12.	39.04	200.00	160.96
13.	12.53	75.00	62.47
14.	13.50	50.00	36.50
15.	12.55	50.00	37.45
	$465.70	$2,955.00	$2,489.30
Expenses (See auditor's Acct. Sale T. Poss. Land)			592.17
Total Gain for Year			$1,897.13

MAURICE W. WILEY
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
GEORGE HOWARD
Board of Selectmen

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

January 1, 1944 balance in Treasury	$ 24,265.07
Receipts to December 31, 1944	85,488.67
	$109,753.74

PAYMENTS

Warrants No. 1 to 756	$ 79,545.16
December 31, 1944 on deposit	29,558.11
December 31, 1944 Cash and Checks on hand	650.47
	$109,753.74

U. S. Government Bonds, $10,000.00

SUMMARY

December 31, 1944 on deposit	$29,558.11
December 31, 1944 Cash and Checks on hand	650.47
December 31, 1944 U. S. Government Bonds	10,000.00
	$40,208.58

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Treasurer.

Report of Custodian of Trust Funds

MUNICIPAL TRUST FUNDS

Timothy Smith Fund

Receipts

January 1, 1944 on deposit	$21,587.95
Check drawn 12/31/43 deposited Jan. 3, 1944	100.00
Increase April Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	470.28
Increase October Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	384.87
Interest Wellfleet Savings Bank	200.35
Interest Cape Cod Trust Co.	114.91
Loans Repaid	311.73
Interest on Loans	28.27
	$23,198.36

Payments

December 31, 1944 on deposit	$22,908.36
Loans 1944	100.00
Library	100.00
Gift Clause	50.00
Cash on Hand	40.00
	$23,198.36

Loans prior to 1944	$8,544.14	
Loans repaid in 1944	311.73	
	$8,232.41	
Loans 1944	100.00	
Total loans Dec. 31, 1944	$8,332.41	

BILLINGS LIBRARY FUND

January 1 ,1944 In Trust	$14,000.00
Income January	210.00
Income July	210.00
	$14,420.00
Deposited in Town Funds for Support of Library	420.00
December 31, 1944 On Deposit	14,000.00
	$14,420.00

TOWN HALL INCOME FUND

January 1, 1944 on Deposit	$333.59
Interest to October 1944	6.59
Income	83.44
	$423.62

No withdrawal from this account in 1944.

OLD GRIST MILL OPERATING FUND

January 1, 1944 On Deposit	$29.51
Interest to October 1944	.52
	$30.03
June 29 Withdrawn	6.00
Nov. 1 Withdrawn	17.50
December 31, 1944 On Deposit—Bal.	6.53
	$30.03

OLD WIND GRIST MILL FUND

January 1, 1944 On Deposit	$521.58
Interest to July 1944	10.47
	$532.05

No withdrawals from this account in 1944

EASTHAM WORLD WAR MEMORIAL FUND

January 1, 1944 On Deposit	$473.11
Interest to July, 1944	9.50
	$482.61

No withdrawals from this account in 1944

EASTHAM COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE FUND

January 1, 1944 On Deposit	$76.75
Interest to December, 1944	.77
	$77.52

No withdrawals from this account in 1944

POST WAR REHABILITATION FUND

November 16, 1944 Deposited	$125.00

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Perpetual Care

Zara Higgins Fund

January 1, 1944 On Deposit	$130.30
Interest to July	2.61
	$132.91
Withdrawn for care of lot	3.00
	$129.91

(Check received Jan. 9, 1945)

Frank O. Daniels Fund

January 1, 1944 On Deposit	$50.11
Interest to July, 1944	1.00
	$51.11

Mercy A. Mines Fund

January 1, 1944 On Deposit	50.10
Interest to July 1944	1.00
	$51.10

No withdrawals from this account in 1944

Respectfully submitted

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Custodian.

Report of Collector of Taxes

Dr.

Balance Due Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	$ 32.42
Additional Warrant of 1942 Real Estate	53.80
Balance Due Taxes of 1942 Personal	39.50
Balance Due Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	4,275.71
Balance Due Taxes of 1943 Personal	154.84
Balance Due Taxes of 1943 Moth	14.00
Balance Due Taxes of 1943 Poll	2.00
Warrant Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	33,559.50
Warrant Taxes of 1944 Personal	3,629.25
Warrant Taxes of 1944 Moth	100.00
Warrant Taxes of 1944 Poll	408.00
Audit Adjustment 1942 Real Estate	5.30
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	4.34
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	8.00
Refund from Tax Title 1943 Real Estate	49.22
Refund from Tax Title 1944 Real Estate	17.50
Abatement after payment 1944 Personal	5.00
Disclaimed Tax Title 1942 Real Estate	1.33
Disclaimed Tax Title 1943 Real Estate	1.28
Overpayment to Treasurer Personal 1943	6.42
Overpayment to Collector Personal 1943	.40
Overpayment to Collector 1943 Real Estate	.34
	$42,368 .15

Cr.

Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	$ 77.85
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1942 Personal	36.85
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	4,274.89
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1943 Personal	159.11

Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1943 Moth	10.00
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1943 Poll	2.00
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	30,066.38
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1944 Personal	3,557.00
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1944 Moth	77.50
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1944 Poll	248.00
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	17.43
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1943 Moth	4.00
Audit Adjustment Taxes of 1944 Moth	8.00
Abatements Taxes of 1942 Real Estate	15.00
Abatements Taxes of 1942 Personal	2.65
Abatements Taxes of 1943 Real Estate	9.19
Abatements Taxes of 1943 Personal	2.55
Abatements Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	131.50
Abatements Taxes of 1944 Personal	7.50
Abatements Taxes of 1944 Poll	160.00
Tax Titles Taxes of 1943	29.38
Tax Titles Taxes of 1944	668.00
Uncollected Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	2,719.12
Uncollected Taxes of 1944 Personal	69.75
Uncollected Taxes of 1944 Moth	14.50
	$42,368.15

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE

Dr.

Balance Due Excise of 1942	$ 31.20
Warrants Excise of 1944	715.41
	$746.61

Cr.

Paid Treasurer Excise of 1943	$ 27.20
Paid Treasurer Excise of 1944	680.21

Abatement Excise of 1943	4.00
Abatement Excise of 1944	17.20
Uncollected Excise of 1944	18.00
	$746.61

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Collector.

Report of Town Clerk

DOGS LICENSED IN 1944

1943 License 2/44 1 Male Dog @ $2.00	$ 2.00	
1944		
31 Male Dogs @ $2.00	62.00	
20 Spayed Females @ $2.00	40.00	
8 Females @ $5.00	40.00	
		$144.00

Fees Retained — 60 @ .20	$12.00	
March 31 Paid County Treasurer	1.80	
June 2 Paid County Treasurer	85.80	
June 15 Paid County Treasurer	42.60	
December 30 Paid County Treasurer	1.80	
		$144.00

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Division of Fisheries and Game

			Total	Fees	Paid Div. of F. & G.
33	Resident Citizens Fishing Licenses	@ $2.00	$ 66.00	$ 8.25	$ 57.75
64	Resident Citizens Hunting Licenses	@ 2.00	128.00	16.00	112.00
24	Resident Citizens Sporting Licenses	@ 3.25	78.00	6.00	72.00
12	Resident Citizens Women's & Minors Fishing Licenses	@ 1.25	15.00	3.00	12.00
2	Resident Minor Trappers Licenses	@ 2.25	4.50	.50	4.00
5	Resident Citizens Trappers Licenses	@ 5.25	26.25	1.25	25.00
1	Non-Resident Citizens 3 day Fishing Licenses	@ 1.50	1.50	.25	1.25
3	Non-Resident Citizen Trapping License	@ 5.25	15.75	.75	15.00
2	Duplicate Licenses	@ .50	1.00		1.00
1	Non-Resident Military Sporting License	@ 2.00	2.00	.25	1.75
8	Resident Sporting (no fee 70 yrs. age or over)	—	—	—	—
			$338.00	$36.25	$301.75

BIRTHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1944

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
July 2	Sandra Emilie Bernard	Albert Bernard	Olive Meunier
July 25	David G. Babbitt	Leroy A. Babbitt	Evelyn Clark
Sept. 19	Bradford Nickerson	Albert Henry Nickerson	Wilma M. Cole
Sept. 24	Robert Gordon MacBride, Jr.	Robert Gordon MacBride	Leona Crosby Gunn
Nov. 2	Elizabeth Bartlett Chipman	Russell Kelley Chipman	Mary Elizabeth Curran

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1944

Jan.	10	Raymond W. Westergard Jr.	Patterson, N. J.
		Ellen Janet Fulcher	Eastham, Mass.
April	14	Edgar W. Spear	Everett, Mass.
		Ruth E. Fulcher	Eastham, Mass.
April	30	Merton E. Gill	Eastham, Mass.
		Dorcas M. Daley	Mendon, Mass.
July	16	Fred P. Turner	Eastham, Mass.
		Esther F. Tibballs	Eastham, Mass.
July	24	Ernest Clyde Wilson	Eastham, Mass.
		Helen Marie Conklyn	New York, N. Y.
Sept.	10	Arthur Ambrolt	Rochester, Mass.
		Helen Ann McMakin	Eastham, Mass.
Oct.	1	Lawrence Edward Feightner	Downer's Grove, Ill.
		Winifred Walker	Eastham, Mass.
Oct.	23	John Wood Logan	Beacon, N. Y.
		Nellie Hettie VanTassell	Beacon, N. Y.
Nov.	11	Allan D. Ryder	Eastham, Mass.
		Anna Eva Nickerson	Orleans, Mass.

DEATHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1944

		Yrs.	Mo.	Da.
April 22	Charles Alexander Feltis	86	6	28
April 26	Elizabeth Farrington Chase	60	4	12
July 30	Nehemiah P. Hopkins	69	1	6
Aug. 14	Charles A. G. Hopkins	74	0	20
Aug. 20	Roger Bradshaw Estey	43	8	13

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Including Recommendations of Eastham Finance Committee

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham, in the County of Barnstable: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the seventh day of February next at ten o'clock in the forenoon; then and there to act on the following articles in this warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in Eastham at 12:30 P. M. on Tuesday, the eighth day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Polls to be opened at 12:30 P. M. and may be closed at 6:00 P. M.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report including recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to defray departmental expenses for the ensuing year.

SALARIES

	Dept. Head Recom.	Fin. Com. Recom.
Moderator	$ 25.00	$ 25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00	50.00
Constable	50.00	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00	50.00

Selectmen	900.00	900.00
Board of Welfare	600.00	600.00
Assessors	500.00	500.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	2,000.00	1,750.00
Accountant	350.00	350.00

EXPENSES

	Dept. Head Recom.	Fin. Com. Recom.
Selectmen	$ 175.00	$ 175.00
Accountant	30.00	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer, Collector	400.00	350.00
Officers' Traveling	100.00	100.00
Election Department	200.00	200.00
Surety on Bond	110.00	110.00
Assessors Abstracts	75.00	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00	10.00
Legal Expense	75.00	75.00
Janitor	1,248.00	1,248.00
Town Hall	900.00	900.00
Suppression of Crime	100.00	150.00
Town Fires	50.00	50.00
Orleans Fire Department	200.00	200.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	100.00	100.00
Sealer of Weights & Measures	40.00	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	30.00	30.00
Moth Suppression	800.00	800.00
Tree Warden	20.00	20.00
Health	200.00	200.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00	40.00
Dog Account	20.00	20.00
Highway General	200.00	200.00
Snow	300.00	300.00
Public Welfare	1,000.00	1,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2,000.00	2,000.00
Old Age Assistance	6,000.00	6,000.00

Soldiers Benefits	300.00	300.00
Schools	18,562.00	17,500.00
Tax Titles	250.00	250.00
Town Landings	100.00	100.00
Memorial Day	30.00	30.00
Community Christmas Tree	35.00	35.00
Town Reports	300.00	300.00
Finance Committee	10.00	10.00
Insurance	400.00	400.00
Miscellaneous	125.00	125.00
Reserve	1,000.00	1,000.00
Old Cemeteries	150.00	150.00
Interest	200.00	200.00
Schoolhouse Note	663.74	663.74
Town Dump	200.00	200.00
	$41,273.74	$39,961.74

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Recommended one be elected.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommended that the refunded dog tax be made available to the Public Library.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, provided the State makes a satisfactory allotment for repairs and maintenance of Town Ways under Chapter 81, Sections 26-29 General Laws, as amended.

Recommended an appropriation of $2,688.00.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue

for the financial year, beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year, and to re-new any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chap. 44, Gen. Laws.

Recommended that the Treasurer be so authorized.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement of the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, and to re-new any note or notes that may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17 Chapter 44, Gen. Laws.

Recommended that the Treasurer be so authorized.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Recommended an appropriation of $100.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, General Laws or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommended an appropriation of $300.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of shellfish, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommended an appropriation of $600.00.

Article 10. To see what sum of money shall be taken from available funds towards defraying the tax levy of 1944. Recommended that the sum of $5,000.00 be taken from available funds.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate, or prohibit the taking of eels, and any and all kinds of shellfish and sea-worms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 52, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 598 Acts of 1941.
Recommend the Town so vote.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 598 Acts of 1941.
Recommend that the Town so vote.

Article 13. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Section 54, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by the Acts of 1941.
Recommend that the Town so vote.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or take any action relative thereto.
Recommend that the Town so vote.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or take any action relative thereto.
Recommend that the Town so vote.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of twenty-five cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and appropriate the sum of $30.00 for this purpose.

Recommend that the Town appropriate the sum of $30.00 and pay a bounty of fifty cents each.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the operating expense of the Rationing Board.

Recommend an appropriation of $60.00.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to establish a Road Machinery account for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery.

Recommend an appropriation of $250.00.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1943 bills, under the provisions of Chapter 179, Acts of 1941.

Recommend an appropriation if needed.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Civilian Defense, under the provisions of Chapter 487, Acts of 1941.

Recommend an appropriation of $350.00.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $336.26 from the following accounts. Landing at Nauset Beach $28.37, Landing at Cape Cod Bay $113.07, Land Damage Schoolhouse Road $78.39, acquiring land at Nauset Light $31.90, and taking land at New School $94.53, for the purpose of paying off the School Note, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend the transfers of the above sums.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 toward installing and maintaining a light at Rock Harbor, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Do not recommend any appropriation.

Article 24. To see if the Town will hold for public use the piece of shore and meadow land it now owns, obtained through tax title procedure, shown on the Assessors Map as Block 48, Lot 31, near the site of the First Encounter, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend that the Town so vote.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for athletic equipment to be used by the children of the town, and grant the use of Town Hall or schoolhouse for recreational purposes, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Town Clerk, Treasurer, and Collector of Taxes, and appropriate a sum of money for the same. (By request.)

Recommend an increase of $250.00.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from un-appropriate available funds in the treasury to purchase War Bonds or other bonds in order to establish a Post War Re-habilitation Fund in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 5 Acts of 1943.

Recommend an appropriation of $5,000.00 from available funds.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, at the Post Office in North Eastham and the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before

time of holding meeting as aforesaid. HEREOF FAIL NOT and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands and seal this 12th day of January in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-four.

RALPH A. CHASE

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN

MAURICE W. WILEY

Selectmen of Eastham

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, FEBRUARY 7, 1944

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters met in the Town Hall and brought in their votes as follows: Meeting opened at 10 o'clock A.M. by the Moderator. Dorothy C. Clark and Josephine Horton appointed tellers and sworn by the Moderator.

Article 1. After some discussion it was voted to accept the recommendations of the Department Heads for the year's budget with the exception of the item that has to do with the proposed salary of the Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, also with an increase proposed in the Janitor's salary to $1400.00.

Article 2. Voted to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service. Elected Joseph H. Putnam, Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. Voted that the refunded Dog Tax be made available to the Eastham Public Library.

Article 4. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,688.00 for the purpose of repairs and maintenance of Town Ways under Chapter 81, Sections 26-29, General Laws as amended, provided the State will make a satisfactory allotment to the Town for the same.

Article 5. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chap. 44 General Laws.

Article 6. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of re-imbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 6A, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 7. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 toward the support of the Public Library.

Article 8. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the purpose of establishing a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for care and treatment of those persons, certified by the Selectmen, to be residents of the town and unable to pay for such care and treatment.

Article 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 for protection and propagation of shellfish to be apportioned as follows: salary, $350.00; shellfish protection, $150.00; propagation, $300.00.

Article 10. Voted a sum of money sufficient to set the 1944 tax rate at $24.00 per thousand be appropriated from unappropriated balances in the treasury.

Article 11. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 52, Chap. 130, General Laws as amended by Chap. 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 12. Voted to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 13. Voted to invest the Selectmen with the authorization provided for under the provisions of Section 54, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by the Acts of 1941. A rising vote of appreciation was given Ralph A. Chase, retiring Selectman, Assessor, Member of Board of Health and Board of Public Welfare for his 12 years of faithful service to the town. Mr. Chase acknowledged with appropriate remarks.

Recess declared till 1 o'clock P.M.

Meeting re-convened to continue business at 1 P.M.

Article 14. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 15. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued.

Article 16. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure and appropriated $300.00 for expense connected therewith.

Article 17. Voted that the Town pay a bounty of 25 cents for each woodchuck killed within its boundaries the ensuing year and appropriated the sum of $30.00 for the same.

Article 18. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $60.00 for the expense of the Rationing Board for the ensuing year.

Article 19. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 for the purpose of establishing a road machinery account.

Article 20. Indefinitely postponed.

Article 21. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for Civilian Defense, under the provisions of Chapter 487.

Article 22. Voted to transfer the sum of $336.26 from the following accounts: Landing at Nauset Beach, $28.37; Landing at Cape Cod Bay, $113.07; Land Damage, Schoolhouse Road, $78.39; Acquiring Land at Nauset Beach, $31.90, and taking Land at New School, $84.53 for the purpose of paying off the schoolhouse note.

Article 23. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the purpose of installing and maintaining a beacon light at Rock Harbor in conjunction with the Town of Orleans, and voted to appoint a committee of three fishermen to confer with authorities who may be in charge, said appropriation of $100.00 to be expended under the direction of the Committee.

Committee appointed: Howard F. Walker, Delbert M. Johnson and Charles F. Atwood.

Article 24. Voted to hold for public use a certain parcel of land obtained through tax title procedure at the West Shore near the sight of the First Encounter, shown on the Assessors Map as Block 48, Lot 31, with the exception of a small piece sold to Francis K. Kendrick.

Article 25. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for the purpose of purchasing athletic equipment, provided the use of the Old Schoolhouse can be obtained for athletics.

Mr. J. Curtis Curtin is hereby authorized to act for the town to negotiate with Mrs. George E. Prentice in regards to the use of the building.

Article 26. Voted 52 in favor, 9 opposed to increase the salary of the Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes from $1,500.00 to $2,000.00 per year beginning January 1, 1944.

Voted to take up Article 1 and accept the figure of $2,000.00.

Article 27. Voted to appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 from the unappropriated balances in the treasury for the purchase of War Bonds to establish a Post War Rehabilitation Fund in accordance with the Acts of 1943.

Budget figures are listed below as accepted by the Town at the above meeting:

Salaries

Moderator	$25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	900.00
Board of Welfare	600.00
Assessors	500.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes	2,000.00
Accountant	350.00

Expenses

Selectmen and Assessors	175.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer, Collector	400.00
Officers Traveling	100.00
Election Department	200.00
Surety on Bond	110.00
Assessors Abstracts	75.00

Certification of Notes	10.00	
Legal Expense	75.00	
Janitor	1,400.00	
Town Hall	900.00	
Suppression of Crime	100.00	
Town Fires	50.00	
Orleans Fire Department	200.00	
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	100.00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	40.00	
Inspection of Wiring	30.00	
Moth Suppression	800.00	
Tree Warden	20.00	
Health	200.00	
Inspection of Animals	40.00	
Dog Account	20.00	
Highway General	200.00	
Snow	300.00	
Public Welfare	1,000.00	
Aid to Dependent Children	2,000.00	
Old Age Assistance	6,000.00	
Soldiers Benefits	300.00	
Schools	18,562.00	
Tax Titles	250.00	
Town Landings	100.00	
Memorial Day	30.00	
Community Christmas Tree	35.00	
Town Reports	300.00	
Finance Committee	10.00	
Insurance	400.00	
Miscellaneous	125.00	
Reserve	1,000.00	
Old Cemeteries	150.00	
Interest	200.00	
Schoolhouse Note	663.74	
Town Dump	200.00	
		$41,425.74

Minutes of meeting read and approved.

Voted to adjourn.

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Town Clerk.

ANNUAL ELECTION

February 8, 1944

Polls opened at 12:30 P.M.

Elected:

Charles F. Atwood, Moderator for one year.

George Howard, Select man, Assessors, Member of Board of Health and Member of Board of Public Welfare for three years.

Leslie E. Chase, Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year.

Elizabeth F. Collins, School Committee for three years.

Esther I. Gunn, Trustee of the Public Library for three years.

Nathan A. Nickerson, Highway for one year.

Harvey T. Moore and Philip J. Schwind, Constable for one year.

Ernest M. Moore, Tree Warden for one year.

Polls closed at 6 o'clock P.M.

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Town Clerk.

Officers Appointed by the Selectmen:

Harry W. Collins	Pound Keeper
Adin L. Gill	Field Driver
Warren A. Goff	Field Driver
Arthur E. Brown	Field Driver
Charles P. Escobar	Custodian of Town Dump
Nathan A. Nickerson	Forest Fire Warden
Herbert D. Nickerson	Burial Agent
Stanley M. Walker	Sealer of Weights and Measures
Maurice W. Wiley	Chief of Police
Lewis W. Collins	Special Police
Adin L. Gill	Special Police
Nathan E. Clark	Special Police
Horace C. Moore	Special Police
Walter F. Nickerson	Special Police
Leslie E. Chase	Special Police
Herman A. Dill	Special Police
Alfred O. Stowell	Special Police
George F. Crocker	Milk Inspector
Alton Robbins	Sanitary Inspector
Maurice A. Moore	Inspector of Wires
Reuben S. Hopkins	Inspector of Wires

Respectfully Submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Moderator's Appointments to Finance Committee for three years:

Harold L. Arnold, Alfred L. Gill and Harry S. Young.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

March 3, 1944

Mr. Leslie E. Chase,
Eastham Town Hall,
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mr. Chase:

On Monday, February 14th, the Eastham Finance Committee held their first meeting for the purpose of electing their Chairman and Secretary.

At this meeting Alfred O. Stowell was unanimously elected Chairman and Secretary.

Sincerely,

ALFRED O. STOWELL,

Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Town Clerk.

Report of Town Accountant

To the Board of Selectmen

Gentlemen:

I have the honor of submitting the report of the Accounting Department for the year ending December 31, 1944, as follows:

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1, 1944		$24,265.07
General Revenue		
Taxes 1942 Personal	$ 36.85	
Taxes 1942 Real	77.85	
Taxes 1943 Personal	159.11	
Taxes 1943 Real	4,274.89	
Taxes 1944 Personal	3,557.00	
Taxes 1944 Real	30,066.38	
Poll Tax 1944	248.00	
Poll Taxes 1943	2.00	
		38,422.08
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1943	27.20	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1944	680.21	
		707.41
Tax Title Redemption	961.71	
Sale of Land	2,955.00	
		3,916.71
From State		
Income Tax	4,496.00	
Business Corporation Tax	2,957.84	
Meal Tax	288.05	
Highway Chap. 563	3,528.82	
		11,270.71

From County		
Dog Licenses		123.34
Licenses and Permits		
Shellfish Licenses and Grants	462.81	
Dog Licenses	132.00	
Cabin	4.50	
Firearms	5.00	
Garbage	2.00	
Innholders	10.00	
Pasteurization	10.00	
Victuallers	4.00	
Herring Brook	1.00	
Gasoline	1.00	
Peddlers	3.00	
Milk Licenses	5.50	
		640.81
Grants and Gifts		
School Superintendent	$ 220.31	
Transportation (1943 and 1944)	4,062.15	
		4,282.46
Schools		
City of Boston	746.98	
School Lunch	583.69	
School Lunch (Federal Reimbursement)	560.70	
School Milk Agency	164.80	
Telephone Tolls	.85	
		2,057.02
Interest		
Taxes Real and Personal	118.74	
M. V. Excise	1.39	
Demands	9.80	
Tax Title Interest	70.37	
		200.30

Tailings			34.38
Loans			
Anticipation of Reimbursement			5,375.00
Unclassified			
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes		7.17	
Shellfish Propagation Reimbursement		186.00	
Sale of Voting List		1.00	
Dept. Agriculture		20.00	
Loads of Hardening		3.50	
Use of Telephone		.85	
Checks returned		17.00	
Tax Title Redemptions		54.00	
Recording		19.03	
			308.55
Commercial Revenue			
Moth		87.50	
Sealers Fees		7.71	
Library Fines		15.01	
Rent of Highway Machinery			
Town of Brewster	$151.25		
Town of Orleans	20.00		
Nathan Nickerson	137.50		
		308.75	
			418.97
Federal Grants			
Old Age Assistance		4,872.88	
Old Age Assistance Adm.		162.08	
Aid Dependent Children		683.85	
Aid Dependent Children Adm.		30.25	
			5,749.06
Charities			
Public Welfare from State		315.29	
Old Age Assistance from State		4,002.21	
Aid Dependent Children from State		893.32	
			5,210.82

Soldiers Benefits		
State Aid		180.00
Refunds		
Dog Account	24.00	
Suppression of Crime	2.00	
Tree Warden	4.55	
School	17.43	
Interest	11.26	
Dental Clinic	18.50	
		77.74
From State		
Inspection of Animals		
Bounty on Seals	22.00	
Highway Chap. 81	4,391.22	
		4,413.22
Income		
Billings Fund	420.00	
Timothy Smith Fund	855.15	
Town Hall Fund	83.44	
		1,358.59
Trust Funds Withdrawn		
Timothy Smith Fund Loans	440.00	
Timothy Smith Fund Gift	150.00	
Old Mill Operating Fund	23.50	
Post War Rehabilitation	125.00	
Zara Higgins Cemetery	3.00	
		741.50
Total Receipts		$109,753.74

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's Salaries	$ 900.00
Assessors' Salaries	500.00
Board of Welfare Salary	500.40
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk, Salary	2,000.00
Accountant Salary and Expense	359.92
Moderator Salary	25.00
Road Surveyor Salary	50.00
Constable Salary	50.00
Sec. Finance Salary	50.00
Janitor	1,400.00
Officers' Traveling Expense	130.00
Assessors' and Selectmen's Expense	200.03
Assessors' Abstracts	83.50
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense	304.73
Certification of Notes	2.00
Surety on Bond	77.75
Election and Registration	142.56
Town Hall	803.17
Suppression of Crime	98.00
Civilian Defense	119.17
Moth Suppression	800.00
Tree Warden	466.15
Shellfish Protection	500.00
Shellfish Propagation	238.00
Town Fires	47.40
Prevention and Suppression Forest Fires	98.79
Sealer Weights and Measures	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	22.00
Bounty on Woodchucks	5.00
Health	106.42
Town Dump	184.20
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	28.00
Free Bed	300.00
Public Welfare	619.69

Old Age Assistance	5,709.80
Aid Dependent Children	1,209.82
Old Age Assistance Adm. Federal Grant	160.95
Old Age Assistance Federal Grant	4,659.92
Aid Dependent Children Federal Grant	1,089.25
Aid Dependent Children Adm. Federal Grant	6.00
Highway General	101.76
Highway Chap. 81	8,057.30
Road Machinery a/c	281.41
Snow	207.14
School	17,949.85
School Milk Agency Fund	164.80
Public Library	202.28
Public Library Trust a/c	500.67
Interest	191.21
Old Cemeteries	137.40
Rationing Board	56.10
Town Landing	103.37
Expense Selling Tax Possessions	592.17
Tax Title a/c	231.04
Miscellaneous	110.36
Finance Committee	.60
Insurance	209.08
Town Reports	254.40
Memorial Day	18.16
Community Christmas Tree	31.95
War Bonds	10,000.00
Schoolhouse note	1,000.00
Temporary Loan (Chap. 81)	5,375.00
Taxes (Personal 1943)	6.82
Taxes (Real 1943)	.34
Taxes (Personal 1944)	5.00
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1944	17.20
Dog License	132.00
State and County Taxes	7,900.04
Old Mill Operating Fund	23.50
Town Hall Income Fund	83.44

Post War Rehabilitation Fund	125 00
Higgins Cemetery Fund	3.00
Timothy Smith Fund Loans	440.00
Timothy Smith Fund Income	855.15
Timothy Smith Fund Gifts	50.00
Total Payments	$79,545.16

REVENUE 1944

Appropriations	$46,603.74	Poll Tax Comm.	$ 408.00
State and County Taxes	7,898.96	Real and Personal Comm.	37,188.75
Underestimated County Tax	444.16	Estimated Receipts	19,824.01
Overlay 1940	5.40	Underestimated State Parks and	
Overlay 1941	8.81	Reservations	1.18
Overlay 1944	2,460.87	Tax Recomm.	53.80
1942 Tax Recommitment	53.80	Appropriation Balances	4,499.63
	57,475.74	Estimated Receipts	4,899.79
To Surplus Revenue (E. and D.)	9,399.42		$66,875.16
	$66,875.16		

Surplus Revenue (E. and D.)

War Bonds	$10,000.00	Bal. Jan. 1, 1944	$22,667.25
Tax Titles	697.38	Tax Title Redemptions	1,028.43
Tax Adjustment	.34	Sale of Tax Possessions	2,955.00
	10,697.72	Disclaimers	5.24
Surplus Revenue (E. and D.)	25,440.62	Tax Title Abatement	24.86
	$36,138.34	Tax Adjustment	4.34
		Tax Recommitment	53.80
			26,738.92
		Revenue	9,399.42
			$36,138.34

CLASSIFICATION OF APPROPIATIONS ACCOUNTS

Selectmen's Salaries

Maurice W. Wiley, Chairman	400.00	Appropriation	$900.00
Edward D. Penniman	200.00		
Ralph A. Chase	39.55		
George Howard	260.45		
	$900.00		

Assessors' Salaries

Maurice W. Wiley	$200.00	Appropriation	$500.00
Edward D. Penniman	150.00		
R. A. Chase	5.23		
George Howard	144.77		
	$500.00		

Board of Welfare Salaries

Maurice W. Wiley	$166.80	Appropriation	$600.00
Edward D. Penniman	166.80		
R. A. Chase	20.75		
George Howard	146.05		
	500.40		
Balance to Revenue	99.60		
	$600.00		

Salary Treasurer, Collector, Clerk

Leslie E. Chase	$2,000.00	Appropriation	$2,000.00

Accountant's Salary and Expense

L. Isabelle Brackett	$350.00	Appropriation	$380.00
Typing Expense	5.00		
Forms	4.92		
	359.92		
Balance to Revenue	20.08		
	$380.00		

Moderator

George Howard	$ 2.09	Appropriation	$25.00
C. Foster Atwood	22.91		
	$25.00		

Road Surveyor

Nathan Nickerson	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Constable

Harvey T. Moore	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Salary Sec. Finance Committee

Alfred O. Stowell	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Janitor

Horace Moore	$1,400.00	Appropriation	$1,400.00

Officers' Travelling Expense

Treasurer's Expense	$24.70	Appropriation	$100.00
Selectmen's Expense	33.99	Trans. from Reserve	30.00
Assessors' Expense	64.26		
Health Officer's Exp.	7.05		
	$130.00		$130.00

Assessors' and Selectmen's Expense

Assessors:			
Typewriter Overhaul	$11.00	Appropriation	$175.00
Calculator Overhaul	12.00	Trans. from Reserve	50.00
Use of Car (E. D. Penniman)	22.50		
State and County Ass'n. Dues	6.00		
Printing, Stationery and Postage	45.73		
Typing Expense	30.00		
Selectmen:			
Mass. Selectmen's Ass'n. Dues	9.00		
Printing, Stationery, Postage	38.80		
Typing Expense	25.00		
	200.03		
Balance to Revenue	24.97		
	$225.00		$225.00

Assessors' Abstracts

Abstracts	$83.50	Appropriation	$75.00
		Trans. from Reserve	8.50
			$83.50

Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense

Treasurer:			
Typing	$ 5.00	Appropriation	$400.00
Overhaul Adding Machine	10.00		
Use of Car	29.00		
Printing, Stationery and Postage	143.26		

Box Rent	.50		
Collector:			
Typing Expense	10.50		
Printing, Stationery and Postage	22.15		
Box Rent	.50		
Town Clerk:			
Dues Town Clerks' Association	$ 3.00		
Recording Fees	32.60		
Printing, Stationery and Postage	47.72		
Use of Car	.50		
	304.73		
Balance to Revenue	95.27		
	$400.00		

Legal Expense

Balance to Revenue	$75.00	Appropriation	$75.00

Certification of Notes

Certification of Notes	$2.00	Appropriation	$10.00
Balance to Revenue	8.00		
	$10.00		

Surety on Bond

Treasurer	$30.00	Appropriation	$110.00
Collector	42.75		
Clerk	5.00		
	77.75		
Balance to Revenue	32.25		
	$110.00		

Election and Registration

Maurice W. Wiley	$15.00	Appropriation	$200.00
Edward D. Penniman	15.00		
George Howard	15.00		
Leslie E. Chase	10.00		
Harvey T. Moore	18.00		
Ella Fuller	15.00		
Abbott Knowles	20.00		
Dorothy Clark (Teller)	4.00		
Josephine Horton (Teller)	4.00		
Typing	2.00		
Printing, Stationery and Postage	24.56		
	142.56		
Balance to Revenue	57.44		
	$200.00		

Town Hall

A. D. Moore, painting Town Hall	$198.61	Appropriation	$900.00
Lumber	19.79		
Boiler Inspection	5.00		
Labor, plastering Basement	84.00		
Plaster, etc. for Basement	39.59		
Oil Burner repair	2.90		
Telephone	88.40		
Fuel	247.70		
Lights	34.64		
Repairs	12.53		

Janitor Supplies	15.72
Flag and Rope	4.46
Painting Flag Pole	10.00
Drinking Cups	7.50
Floor Dressing	21.75
Clock	3.00
Box Rent	1.00
Reuben Hopkins, Electrical repair	6.58
	803.17
Balance to Revenue	96.83
	$900.00

Suppression of Crime

Harvey T. Moore (Prop. Inspection)	$75.00	Appropriation	$100.00
		Refund	2.00
M. M. Wiley (Prop. Inspection)	8.00		
George Howard (Prop. Inspection)	4.00		
E. D. Penniman (Prop. Inspection)	4.00		
Walter Nickerson, Spec. Police Services	2.00		
Charles Whiting, Spec. Police Services	5.00		
	98.00		
Balance to Revenue	4.00		
	$102.00		$102.00

Civilian Defense

Air Raid Siren	$20.86	Appropriation	$350.00
Share of Control Center	98.31		
	119.17		
Balance to Revenue	230.83		
	$350.00		

Moth Suppression

Nathan Nickerson, Carting Arsenic	$ 4.00	Appropriation	$800.00
Labor and Trucks	796.00		
	$800.00		

Tree Warden

Sharpening Axes	$ 4.60	Appropriation	$20.00
Labor and Trucks (Hurricane)	461.55	Refund	4.55
		Trans. from Reserve	441.60
	$466.15		$466.15

Shellfish Protection

Phillip Schwind	$350.00	Appropriation	$500.00
Signs	6.00		
Labor, Cockle pest control	144.00		
	$500.00		

Shellfish Propagation

Oysters	$15.00	Appropriation	$300.00
Cockle Pest Control (Labor)	77.15		
Planting Quahaug Seed	134.20		
Printing	11.65		
	238.00		
Balance to Revenue	62.00		
	$300.00		

Orleans Fire Department

Balance to Revenue	$200.00	Appropriation	$200.00

Town Fires

Labor	$47.40	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	2.60		
	$50.00		

Prevention and Suppression Forest Fires

Labor	$98.79	Appropriation	$100.00
Balance to Revenue	31.21	Trans. from Reserve	30.00
	$130.00		$130.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Stanley Walker	$40.00	Appropriation	$40.00

Inspection of Wiring

Maurice Moore	$22.00	Appropriation	$30.00
Balance to Revenue	8.00		
	$30.00		

Bounty On Woodchucks

Bounties	$ 5.00	Appropriation	$30.00
Balance to Revenue	25.00		
	$30.00		

Health

Expense Attending Health Meeting	$10.00	Appropriation	$200.00
M. W. Wiley, Health Officer	5.00		
E. D. Penniman	5.00		
George Howard	5.00		
Well Child Conference	25.00		
Dental Clinic	50.00		
Fish Disposal	4.00		
Printing	2.42		
	106.42		
Balance to Revenue	93.58		
	$200.00		

Town Dump

Escobar Bros.	$180.00	Appropriation	$200.00
Labor, Burning Dump	4.20		
	184.20		
Balance to Revenue	15.80		
	$200.00		

Inspection of Animals

Harry Collins	$40.00	Appropriation	$40.00

Dog Account

Walter Nickerson, (Dog Disposals)	$28.00	Appropriation	$20.00
		Trans. from Reserve	8.00
			$28.00

Free Bed Cape Cod Hospital

Cape Cod Hospital	$300.00	Appropriation	$300.00

Public Welfare

Town of Orleans	$415.83	Appropriation	$1,000.00
Lakeville Sanatorium	45.00		
Envelopes	5.00		
Groceries	153.86		
	619.69		
Balance to Revenue	380.31		
	$1,000.00		

Old Age Assistance

Cash Grants	$5,709.80	Appropriation	$6,000.00
Balance to Revenue	290.20		
	$6,000.00		

Aid Dependent Children

Cash Grants	$1,209.82	Appropriation	$2,000.00
Balance to Revenue	790.18		
	$2,000.00		

Old Age Assistance Adm. Federal Grants

Salary Board of Welfare:		Federal Grants	$389.83
Maurice W. Wiley	33.20		
Edward D. Penniman	33.20		
George Howard	33.20		
Envelopes	26.00		
Printing, Stationery, Postage	15.05		
Typing	14.00		
Geo. Howard, Administration	5.05		
Typewriter Ribbon	1.25		
	160.95		
Balance to 1945	228.88		
	$389.83		

Old Age Assistance Federal Grants

Cash Grants	$4,659.92	Federal Grants	$5,392.39
Balance to 1945	732.47		
	$5,392.39		

Aid to Dependent Children Federal Grants

Cash Grants	$1,089.25	Federal Grants	$1,519.56
Balance to 1945	430.31		
	$1,519.56		

Aid to Dependent Children, Adm. Federal Grants

Envelopes	$ 6.00	Federal Grants	$109.60
Balance to 1945	103.60		
	$109.60		

Soldiers Benefits

Balance to Revenue	$300.00	Appropriation	$300.00

Highway General

Bulldozer Hire	$42.00	Appropriation	$200.00
Gas and Oil	6.51		
A. F. Smith and Son, Supplies	3.52		
Nickerson Lumber Co.	44.32		
Cutting Tank	5.00		
Express	.41		
To Chap. 81	35.11		
	136.87		
Balance to Revenue	63.13		
	$200.00		

Highway Chap. 81

Surveyor's Bills	$8,084.17	Appropriation	$2,688.00
(See Surveyor's Report)		Loan	5,375.00
Balance to Revenue	13.94	Trans. from Highway General	35.11
	$8,098.11		$8,098.11

Road Machinery a/c

Chains, Express, Labor	$ 27.56	Appropriation	$250.00
Sand Spreader and Express	192.47	Trans. from Reserve	50.00
Gas and oil	28.19		
Parts for Machinery	25.75		
Express	1.35		

Labor (Ocean View Garage)	4.50		
Fan Belt	1.59		
	281.41		
Balance to Revenue	18.59		
	$300.00		$300.00

Snow

Wheels and Express	$ 15.14	Appropriation	$300.00
Labor and Trucks	192.00		
	207.14		
Balance to Revenue	92.86		
	$300.00		

School

Expenditures (See Superintendent's Report)	$17,949.85	Appropriation	$18,562.00
		Refunds	17.43
Balance to Revenue	629.58		
	$18,579.43		$18.579.43

Public Library

Insurance	$10.40	Appropriation	$100.00
Flag and Rope	3.90	Refunded Dog Tax	123.34
Painting Flag Pole	20.00		
Lights	10.00		
Fuel	42.10		
Books	22.88		
Librarian Salary	93.00		
	202.28		
Balance to Revenue	21.06		
	$223.34		$223.34

Public Library Trust Account

Salary	$246.00	Balance Jan. 1, 1944	$148.47
Books and Periodicals	216.65	Billings Library Fund, Inc.	420.00
Insurance	20.00	Gift	100.00
Labor on Topmast	8.00		
Lights	4.00		
Postage	.65		
Miscellaneous	5.37		
	500.67		
Balance to 1945	167.80		
	$668.47		$668.47

Interest

Schoolhouse Note	$168.75	Appropriation	$200.00
Chap. 81 Loan	22.46	Refund	11.26
	191.21		
Balance to Revenue	20.05		
	$211.26		$211.26

Old Cemeteries

Labor and Machinery	$137.40	Appropriation	$150.00
Balance to Revenue	12.60		
	$150.00		

Rationing Board

Pens, Clips, etc.	$ 4.20	Appropriation	$60.00
Telephone	21.45		
Overhaul Typewriter	11.00		
Folders	2.25		
Expenses attending Hyannis meeting	16.61		
Postage (Registered Mail)	.59		
	56.10		
Balance to Revenue	3.90		
	$60.00		

Town Landing

Barrels for raft	$24.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Lumber for steps at Nauset Beach	10.85	Trans. from Reserve	10.00
Labor on steps at Nauset Beach	9.60		
Labor on raft	15.40		
Supplies for raft	12.03		
Asphalt	31.49		
	103.37		
Balance to Revenue	6.63		
	$110.00		$110.00

Expense Selling Tax Possessions

Schofield Bros.	$375.00	Appropriation	$300.00
Maurice W. Wiley	143.10	Trans. from Reserve	293.17
Staking out Lots	1.80		
Painting Sign	2.00		

Legal Services	2.00		
Recording and Rev. Stamps	45.02		
Auctioneer	12.00		
Legal Paper	2.25		
Typing Expense	9.00		
	592.17		
Balance to Revenue	1.00		
	$593.17		$593.17

Tax Title a/c

Court Fee	$30.00	Appropriation	$250.00
Benjamin F. Sears	97.96		
Goss Print	21.60		
Leslie E. Chase	60.30		
Notary Fees	3.25		
Oaths	4.50		
Postage	13.43		
	231.04		
Balance to Revenue	18.96		
	$250.00		

Miscellaneous

Envelopes	$16.00	Appropriation	$125.00
Bounty on Seals	21.00		
Moth Advertising	15.00		
Reprints Eastham Ads	12.00		
Advertising	36.00		
Advisory Comm. printing	5.65		
Lumber for Honor Roll	.81		
Recording	1.03		

Notary Fees and Postage	2.87		
	110.36		
Balance to Revenue	14.64		
	$125.00		

Finance Committee

R. H. Whitford	.60	Appropriation	$10.00
Balance to Revenue	9.40		
	$10.00		

Insurance

Dill and Chase	$209.08	Appropriation	$400.00
Balance to Revenue	190.92		
	$400.00		

Town Reports

Town Reports	$249.40	Appropriation	$300.00
Typing	5.00		
	254.40		
Balance to Revenue	45.60		
	$300.00		

Memorial Day

Wreaths	$15.00	Appropriation	$30.00
Southward Inn (Dinners for State Police)	3.16		
	18.16		
Balance to Revenue	11.84		
	$30.00		

Community Christmas Tree

George Howard	$31.95	Appropriation	$35.00
Balance to Revenue	3.05		
	$35.00		

Beacon Light at Rock Harbor

Balance to Revenue	$100.00	Appropriation	$100.00

War Bonds

War Bonds	$10,000.00	Appropriation	$10,000.00

Athletic Equipment

Balance to Revenue	$200.00	Appropriation	$200.00

Schoolhouse Note

Schoolhouse Note	$1,000.00	Appropriation	$1,000.00

Reserve Fund

Transferred:			
Officer's Travelling Expense	$30.00	Appropriation	$1,000.00
Assessors' and Selectmen's Expense	50.00		
Assessors' Abstracts	8.50		
Tree Warden	441.60		
Prevention and Suppression Forest Fires	30.00		
Road Machinery a/c	50.00		
Town Landing	10.00		
Expense Selling Tax Possessions	293.17		
Dog Account	8.00		
	921.27		
Balance to Revenue	78.73		
	$1,000.00		

Trust Accounts

Bal. December 31, 1944	$41,309.06	World War Memorial	$ 482.61
		Cemetery Trust Funds	232.12
		Town Hall Trust Funds	2,646.25
		Billings Library Fund	14,000.00
		Town Hall Income	423.62
		Old Wind Grist Mill Operating Fund	6.53
		Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	532.05
		Eastham Community Tree	77.52
		Timothy Smith Fund	22,908.36
	$41,309.06		$41,309.06

SUMMARY GENERAL REVIEW

Cash on Hand	$30,208.58	
Real Estate Taxes 1944	2,719.12	
Personal Taxes 1944	69.75	
Moth 1944	14.50	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1944	18.00	
Tax Titles	2,166.79	
Tax Possessions	2,958.43	
Overlay 1940	1.35	
Overlay 1941	1.28	
Overlay 1942	10.99	
Overlay 1943	18.11	
Old Age Assistance A/R	101.00	
State Aid to Highways	2,595.52	
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	1.07	
State Parks and Reservations	.01	
Schoolhouse Loan	7,000.00	
Special Assessment Revenue		14.50
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Revenue		18.00
Tax Title and Tax Possession Revenue		5,125.22
Overlay 1944		2,164.87
Overlay Reserve		3,305.87
Dept. Revenue		101.00
Tailings		119.45
Sale of Real Estate		2,396.91
Road Machinery Fund		535.00
Aid Dependent Children Federal Grant		430.31
Old Age Assistance Federal Grant		732.47
Aid Dependent Children, Adm., Fed. Grant.		103.60
Old Age Assistance, Adm., Federal Grant		228.88
Public Library Trust		167.80
Schoolhouse Loan		7,000.00
		22,443.88
Surplus Revenue (E. and D.)		25,440.62
	$47,884.50	$47,884.50

Respectfully submitted,

L. ISABELLE BRACKETT,

Town Accountant

Report of the Board of Welfare

All tax payers are interested to know where their money is spent. We are likewise interested to know where that same money comes from. The Federal Government and Massachusetts State Government pay a large share of the cost of our town's three relief agencies, leaving the smaller share for our town to pay direct. All citizens furnish to State and Federal Governments through loans, income taxes and other indirect means, the money that later comes back to support these relief agencies. The tables in the Auditor's Report will give you the financial details.

GEORGE HOWARD,

Chairman of Board of Welfare.

Fees of Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes

AS REPORTED TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Eastham, Mass.
Dec. 31, 1944

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Eastham, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit the amount of fees retained by me in my Town Office:

Collector of Taxes	Demands and Costs	$60.00	
		60.30	
Town Clerk	Recording	22.10	
	Pole Locations and Filing Plans	4.00	
	Birth Certificates	1.50	
	Dog Licenses Fees	12.00	
	Fish & Game Licenses Fees	36.25	
			$196.15
Treasurer Fees Bounty on Seals			2.00
			$198.15

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk, Treasurer,
Collector of Taxes.

MAURICE W. WILEY
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
GEORGE HOWARD
Selectmen of Eastham.

Report of the Eastham Finance Committee

FOR THE YEAR 1944

The committee was duly organized February 14th, 1944, with Alfred O. Stowell elected Chairman and Secretary.

Transfers approved were as follows:

To Tree Warden Account	$300.00	
To Dog Account	8.00	
To Selectmen and Assessors' Account	50.00	
To Sale of Tax Possession Property	200.00	
To Suppression of Forest Fires Account	30.00	
To Road Machinery Account	50.00	
To Town Landing Account	10.00	
To Tree Warden Account	141.60	
To Officers Travel Expense Account	30.00	
To Sale of Tax Possession Property	93.17	
To Assessors Abstracts Account	8.50	
Total	$921.27	
Reserve Account		$1,000.00
Transfers		921.27
Balance		$ 78.73

Respectfully Submitted,

Alfred O. Stowell
Charles L. Holbrook
Arthur E. Brown
Harold L. Arnold
Raymond N. Knowles
Emerson B. Wentworth
Ralph L. Rogers
Alfred L. Gill
Harry S. Young

Eastham Finance Committee.

Report of Highway Surveyor

CHAPTER 81

To Appropriation	$2,688.00	By Payment	$8,022.19
By State	5,348.13	Bal. to Revenue	13.94
	$8,036.13		$8,036.13

Laborer's Wages	$1,898.40
Surveyor's Wages	628.50
Trucks	1,167.00
Power Grader and Operator	550.38
Gravel Loader	131.25
Sweeper	3.50
Gallo Construction Co., Labor and Machinery	189.89
Guard Rail Paint	34.02
Asphalt	2,278.33
Shovels and Rakes	27.00
Saw and Brush	5.70
Lumber and Nails	16.28
Sand	39.60
Tar	1,052.34
	$8,022.19

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN A. NICKERSON,

Highway Surveyor.

Librarian's Report

Number volumes catalogued	6,765
Number volumes added	132
Number volumes borrowed	4,968
Total fines received	$19.42

As usual we borrowed books from the Division of Public Libraries at Boston, for school use and for many borrowers.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. BLANCHE A. KEEFE,

Librarian.

Report of
Eastham War Price and Rationing Board

No. 1312.118

To the Board of Selectmen:

January 1945 marked the third Anniversary of the Eastham War Price and Rationing Board. The Board was organized in January 1942 with Harvey T. Moore as Chairman and George Howard and Ralph L. Rogers as Co-Workers. Due to the fact that they were candidates for elective political offices Mr. Moore and Mr. Howard resigned in 1944.

As rationing increased it became necessary to add to the personnel of the Board and at the present time the organization is as follows:

Chairman
Ralph L. Rogers

Tires, Gasoline, Shoes, Rubber Boots
Ralph L. Rogers, Andrew Merrill, Luther Smith

Fuel Oil and Stoves
Jennie Sparrow, Rebecca Sherman

Food
Helen Clark

Price
Vaneita Cole

Community Service
Anne Brownell

Clerk
L. Isabelle Brackett

The Board wishes to take this opportunity to thank the townspeople for their understanding and co-operation.

RALPH L. ROGERS,
Chairman.

Barnstable County Health Department

January 1, 1945

The following is a brief report of the work of the Barnstable County Health Department for the year 1944.

The meetings of the Cape Cod Health Bureau Association and the Cape Cod Health Council are still being held twice a year, jointly, at the Hyannis Inn as usual. These meetings are always very well attended by the town boards of health and others interested. Also, these meetings give an opportunity for discussion of any sanitary or health questions which arise in any part of the Cape and are found to be quite useful in settling some such questions. A representative of the Department of Sanitation of the State spoke at one meeting, and the Medical Officer, connected with the Maritime Academy, at the other. When practicable, these meetings will again be held quarterly, as was formerly the case.

All of the regular clinics were held during the year, including cancer, eye, ear and throat, crippled children, diphtheria prevention, tuberculosis and well child conferences. All nurses, health agencies, and boards of health have been very efficient in conducting their work during the year, and the nurses organization has held its regular meeting as customary.

There has been no unusual amount of communicable disease, and schools have been in no way interfered with at any time. A little diphtheria was reported recently, an adult being apparently the first case reported positive. No anterior poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) has been found in the county this year.

Certain private water supplies were reported unfit for use, due to the hurricane, but no diseases resulted from these, so far as known.

Special efforts are being made to locate contacts of certain diseases and arrangements are made for treatment where necessary.

The regular work of the department has been carried on very satisfactorily by all concerned, and we wish to extend our thanks to all officials of the State and County for their most complete and efficient support of health work in the County.

Respectfully,

A. P. GOFF, M. D.

County Health Officer.

Report of Shellfish Constable

In spite of natural shortages, 1944 was a profitable shellfish year. The clams on Billingsgate Island supported many men from Eastham and Orleans all summer. As many as 68 men were counted there in one day digging clams. (Some of these, of course, were from Wellfleet but the majority were Eastham and Orleans fishermen.) Due to high prices this area alone produced an estimated $40,000 worth of soft-shell clams, with the individual catch exceeding 8 bushels per day per man in some cases.

Over one hundred bushels of round wrinkles (our worst natural clam pest) were collected in the Nauset Bay area in an effort to save the tremendous natural set of clams there. With an expense to the town of only $32.75, this brought the fishermen who helped with the removal of this pest an income exceeding $800. The greater portion of these wrinkles were large enough to be saleable as bait to the handliners out of Chatham. The rest were buried and a bounty (of $5 per bushel for some, and $8 per bushel for others) paid to eleven fishermen. The State Dept of Conservation paid $186; Chatham buyers and fishermen bought for bait almost $600 worth; the remaining cost of this project, $32.50, was paid by the Town. (I also personally destroyed upwards of 700 horse-shoe crabs in this area.)

Although there was a good market for quahogs this year, very few were taken by hand commercially. However, about 680 non-commercial permits (previously called "Family Permits") were issued and it is fair to assume that each permit holder averaged more than a bucket of quahogs taken from the West Shore areas and from the Salt Pond. The Rock Harbor draggers improved their days when they had no sea-clam orders by dragging quahogs, often more than 25 bushels per boat in a day.

The sea-clammers moved pretty well off shore this year to new ground so that it was impossible to tell, with no buoys to bound Eastham waters, whether or not they were dragging in Eastham. It is safe to estimate, however, that Cape Cod Bay yielded to Rock Harbor boats in excess of $125,000 stock in sea-clams.

Four plantings were made at a total cost to the Town of $151.60: one, of 80 bushels of oyster seed in the lower half of the Salt Pond River, (These are not yet large enough for consumption.) three plantings of contaminated quahog seed from Wareham at Hemmingway's landing. A large planting was made north of the landing in the channel where a previous planting proved very successful. A smaller one made south of the landing was intended for non-commercial use. A third was made in the area known as "Fore Side of the Flats" and may be reached only by boat.

My earnestly considered recommendations for shellfish control in 1945 include a further bounty on round wrinkles and an increase in oyster and quahog planting if seed is available. I should also advise a limit to be placed on the take of clams in the Nauset Bay area in spite of the abundance of clams there lest we find ourselves with the same situation which faced Orleans i.e. so few clams that all digging had to be prohibited for several months. But chiefly I urge that boundry markers be put legally on Billingsgate Island to save Eastham shellfish for Eastham fishermen.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP SCHWIND,

Shellfish Constable.

Report of Eastham Advisory Committee

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Veterans Rehabilitation and Re-Employment Committee

On December 15th, 1943, Governor Leverett Saltonstall announced the creation of a State Plan whereby veterans could obtain information and counsel which would help them in their efforts toward adjustment to civilian life.

In order to insure the highest possible degree of efficiency in this vital movement, the Governor urged all cities and towns within the Commonwealth to proceed with the formation of local advisory committees. The principal functions of these various units would be to render community-returning veterans of World War II — disabled or non-disabled — prompt guidance and assistance by putting them in touch with the proper State, Federal or local agencies and organizations equipped and maintained for the protection and furtherance of their interests.

Accordingly, in support of these worthy objectives, the Eastham Board of Selectmen appointed a Committee of five members which is now organized and in operation.

One of the early and obviously most important questions which came up for consideration was that of how best to promptly and systematically render individual service to returning Eastham veterans.

Among suggestions of the State Committee for setting in motion the mechanics of the Plan was that of establishing local offices, open daily with some well informed person in constant attendance. In view of the comparatively small population of Eastham, such an arrangement was not deemed practical nor advisable. In its place, a design of contact was adopted which the Town Committee felt was adequate and thorough.

In April of 1944, a post-card was composed and printed listing the names, addresses ad telephone numbers of all Committee members — it also incorporated further concise information as to its purpose. One of these cards was mailed to each known relative and/or dependent of an Eastham veteran.

This method in reality established an office open day and night, staffed by the Committee as a whole, ready to quickly lend all aid possible to local men and women back from Service. It was urged that the card be preserved for future references.

Another element in the equipment of the Committee is in up-to-date card index. It includes the names, addresses, etc. of all recorded Eastham persons of the Armed Services, their dependents and/or their relatives. Prompt notification of pertinent changes is requested. This file is not only of current value in carrying on with the work of veteran rehabilitation and re-employment but it also will to a great extent serve as a medium for recording data of worth in perpetuating the history of Eastham in World War II.

Thus, is the Eastham Advisory Committee established to serve the Community.

Respectfully submitted:

LESLIE E. CHASE
RALPH A. CHASE
YNGVE RONGNER
ALFRED O. STOWELL
HARRY S. YOUNG, Chairman.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND THE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

OF THE

Town of Eastham

FOR THE YEAR

1944

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Stanley M. Walker, Chairman	Term expires 1946
Katherine A. Moore, Secretary	Term expires 1945
Elizabeth F. Collins	Term expires 1947

UNION SUPERINTENDENT

Charles H. Pratt

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Walter Nickerson

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. A. P. Goff

SCHOOL NURSE

Mildred Wye

EASTHAM FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	Expended 1944		Needed 1945
General Control:			
School Committee, Salary and Expenses	$ 200.00		
Superintendent of Schools,			
Enforcement of Law—			
Salaries and Travel	645.20		
Office Expenses	30.22		
		$ 875.42	$ 909.50
Instruction:			
Supervisors	842.00		
Principal and Teachers	4,286.00		
Textbooks	39.10		
Supplies	136.30		
		5,303.40	5,440.00
Operation:			
Janitors			
Fuel	603.80		
Lights, Gas, Janitors' Supplies	213.27		
		817.07	745.00
Maintenance:			
Repairs, Replacement, Upkeep	518.90		
		518.90	300.00

Auxiliary Agencies:			
Libraries	10.73		
Transportation	3,606.00		
Tuition	4,769.20		
Graduation, Phone, Insurance, Lunch, etc.	2,041.22		
		10,427.15	11,407.50
Outlay:			
New Grounds and Buildings			
New Equipment	7.83		
		7.83	
Total		$17,949.77	$18,802.00
Appropriated for 1944		$18,562.00	
Refund		17.35	
		$18,579.35	
Expended in 1944		17,949.77	
Balance Unexpended		$ 629.58	

NET COST OF SCHOOLS, YEAR 1944

Total Expenditures			$17,949.77
Accounts Receivable:			
Mass. General School Fund Part I		$655.00	
City of Boston Tuition	537.40		
City of Boston Transportation	209.58		
		746.98	
Mass. Reimbursement for High School Transportation		2,013.37	
Mass. Reimbursement on account of Supt. of Schools		220.31	
Receipts from Federal Aid for School Lunch		560.70*	
Receipts from School Lunch		583.69	
Receipts from Milk Sold		164.80	
Telephone Toll Calls		.85	
			4,945.70
			$13,004.07

*This amount includes $113.61 due from claims for November and December, 1943 but does not include claims which are due as reimbursement on lunches sold in November and December 1944.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF 1944 SCHOOL LUNCH SERVICE

Expended for Supplies during 1944		$1,025.42
Expended for Salaries		934.60
Expended for Gas		25.50
		$1,985.52
Received for Lunches sold in year 1944	$583.69	
Received for Milk sold in year 1944	164.80	
Federal Reimbursements received for sales January to October	447.09	
Federal Reimbursements due for November and December not received during year	126.91	
		1,322.49
Expenditures above receipts		$663.03

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Eastham:

The Annual School Report for 1944.

The past year has been a difficult one for schools as well as for homes. Every one has been carrying extra work and extra cares due to the stress of war. Eastham School has fared better than most during the year. The October first enrollment was one less than a year ago, the lowest in many years.

Mrs. Virginia Horton was granted a year's leave of absence at her request beginning September 1944. Her period of service dating from 1925 would certainly entitle her to consideration when release from her work is a matter of health.

We have been most fortunate in securing Mrs. Catherine M. Skinner during Mrs. Horton's absence. In words of Mr. Nickerson, "she is well trained and popular with everyone with whom she has come in contact. She is doing much fine remedial work in Grades IV and V."

Mrs. Gould has grades I. II and III. Mr. Nickerson has grades VI, VII and VIII. Classes are small, instruction is excellent and progress of individual pupils has, in most cases, been most satisfactory.

There were thirty-two Eastham pupils in attendance at Orleans High School in the 1944 period from September

to December inclusive. This is one less than were in attendance for the same period a year ago. You will note that five Eastham seniors are expected to graduate at Orleans next June and five are expected to complete the eighth grade at the same time. This would seem to indicate a similar high school enrollment next year.

A good education was never so essential as it is today. Our survival as a nation in these critical days depends on young men and women who know what to do and how to do it. Patriotism requires preparation for tomorrow as well as work for today. Would that more enthusiasm at home might result in greater accomplishment at school. Achievement is waiting for him who earns it. Teachers, buildings and equipment are aids to learning but they do not insure results without effort. There is no easy and careless way to success in any school.

This fall our schools were urged to collect milkweed pods and dry them in order that they might be used to make life jackets for our fighting men. The need was caused by enemy control of kapok which had previously been used for this purpose. Eastham School made a fine contribution. Thirty-eight bags were collected and shipped. Acknowledgement and appreciation of this good work has been received from the State headquarters. Twenty cents per bag was paid for the pods but the greater reward should be the satisfaction of service.

Repairs: Besides minor items incidental to general upkeep during last year the building has had paint on the exterior trim, the flag pole has been painted, the front door has been replaced by one of another kind of wood and different construction. This was done to stop leakage around and through the door. Repairs in the corridor floor were made necessary because of entrance of water.

The new storm windows and entrances installed a year ago have proved to be a very good investment in comfort and fuel saving.

Next year I hope that radiation in the lunch room may be relocated so that more heat can be had in that department.

MUSIC

Music has continued to hold a prominent part in the life of this school and the education of the children. Mr. Nassi gives a report of this department as follows:

"In music, actual participation has no substitute, however immature and unsatisfactory may be the results to the participant at first. Those on the sidelines cannot possibly acquire the thrill and excitement of the one who is actually making the music. With this in mind our task is to give to every child possible the opportunity of musical training.

I am glad to report that in spite of the war our music, in the school has not suffered. Our small town music system is a challenge to many city systems. Our children receive more individual attention than pupils in most large cities. In our school music system every child is urged and encouraged to study music. His musical education begins from the first grade with elementary notations and rhythm patterns. This is continued in the second grade with the Rhythm Band Orchestra. From the third grade on pupils may take up a regular musical instrument and when proficient may play in the band and orchestra.

When pupils graduate from the Eastham School they continue their musical education at the Orleans High School

as a member of the high school band and orchestra and other ensembles.

Eastham School pupils are fortunate in having enough school instruments for all of them to take up. Eastham is the only school on the Cape, to my knowledge, to offer to pupils so many instruments. These instruments have been obtained from proceeds of concerts, private donations, and through the untiring efforts of Principal Nickerson. The school committee has not been asked to contribute from the school budget towards instruments until this year when we needed some repairs.

The Eastham School is unique in that practically 100% of the pupils take up some instrument. This means more work for Mrs. Nassi and myself as we have to stay after school to give each pupil the necessary attention, but it is worth the extra effort when we see such great interest."

Miss Anifantis interprets her objectives and the work of vocal music as follows:

"We know of the necessity of music in war time—it will be even more needed when our war veterans return with shattered nerves and souls. Since the children in our schools will be the citizens of the peace era to come and will be relied on to reconstruct our war-torn world, we must not neglect their training. The world is in dire need of harmony. General Coleman Dupont says, 'There is no greater harmonizing influence than music, particularly choral music.'

Much enthusiasm has been aroused in choral singing during the last fifteen years inspired largely by the visiting Vienna Choir Boys, Russian Cossack Singers, the English Singers and many other choral groups. The singing in our

schools is too often left to expert choirs. This should not be so, because it should reach everybody. When the children sing and make music themselves, it is of double value because it becomes a means of self expression.

Every child is born with some degree of musical talent and if given a chance will show itself as naturally as that of speech. A child must learn to feel rhythm before he can sing or play rhythmically. In the intermediate grades if the children have difficulty in reading a song, I ask them to put their books down and give me their attention. Using my left hand to represent the staff and index finger of my right hand to point to the line or space to represent the notes, I lead them through the song. They sustain each note until I move my hand for the next one. Usually there is a fine response. Then we read the song from the book. From this we find that the rhythm interferred with their note reading. The better the background of rhythm, the easier the note reading. That is why in the first grade we begin immediately with our rhythm work.

Also in the first grade we attempt to eliminate the so-called monotones by tone matching games and drills. Rubinstein said, 'The study of the musical language is like that of all other languages. He who learns it at infancy can become master of it.' Two of our pupils, one in the fifth grade and another in the third grade were monotones up until this year. I am very happy to report that they are now considered some of the best singers in their classes.

However, we are not concerned so much what children will do in singing as we are with what singing may do in children. Because music nowadays has such an influence on industry, religion, economics and government, it plays a very important role in every day life. In other words, it should go beyond the singing class into the community.

An example of this is the school providing good singers for their local church choirs. I am also very happy to report that many of our boys and girls are now serving in this capacity. Since Christianity is a singing religion and many young people taking part in the services, we may be sure that there are many good future citizens in the making."

"God sent his singers upon earth
With songs of sadness and of mirth
That they migh touch the hearts of men
And bring them back to heaven again."

ART

Mrs. Margery C. Grier assumed the responsibility for art instruction following the resignation of Mr. Clarence K. Brayton who resigned last summer. Mrs. Grier has done much to stimulate enthusiasm for this work. Mrs. Grier gives us the following:

"It is my endeavor to have everyone know that art is not for a favored few but for all. Drawing, painting, and design in the classroom are not the only art activities. Individuals are expressing themselves artistically when they dress well, arrange their homes attractively, contribute to the esthetic phase of civic improvement, or appreciate the work of masters in design, sculpture, and painting. Art is more than mere handwork. Real art experience comes with self expression whether it is in the kitchen or in the arrangement of a bouquet of flowers, or on a canvas.

Art in the elementary school stresses the creative principle as the most constructive in child education. The children are given the satisfaction of making something they themselves have thought of, for which they feel respon-

sible and will carry through to completion. Drawing, construction, and appreciation are taught in the grades through guidance, encouragement, emphasis, and help.

In the Junior High School the creative principle gives way to one of concrete endeavor. Here the pupil is definitely more interested in specialized art activities. Commercial and industrial art work take the place of creative illustration. Posters, lettering, designing, notebook covers, making murals for the school lunchroom, laying out plans for the landscape gardener, are the various projects entered into by the Junior High School.

Here in Eastham every child is helped to live happily and deal effectively with his environment—the highest aim of real educators—and it is a pleasure to have even a small part in such a program."

HEALTH

Dr. A. P. Goff, our county health officer, who is our school physician, submits submits the following:

"All of the regular school work for the year 1944 in the County has been conducted as usual by the nurses, physicians, and others concerned with this work, and all of the duties have been performed satisfactorily. All the regular clinics are being held, including the diphtheria immunization. Communicable diseases have not presented any particular difficulty during the year.

There have been demonstrations of a new apparatus for testing vision in some of the schools, special attention having been given to this testing for some time.

The usual tuberculosis clinics have, of course, been held, and local doctors and nurses have aided recently in reading the tests which are given.

Dental clinics have been held by visiting dentists, or by local men when these are available.

Every effort is being made to correct physical defects where possible, and improvement in this work is evident.

On the whole, it is believed that work in connection with the schools has been conducted satisfactorily, and every effort will be made to so continue the work for the coming year.

Cooperation of all officials and others has been most complete."

Miss Mildred Wye, Public Health Field Nurse, reports her work in the town as well as in the school:

"The following report represents the public health nurse's work in Eastham from April 20 to December 26, 1944 on a one-day a week basis. With a change in personnel a new nurse took over. Thanks to the understanding people of Eastham, the cooperative Board of Health and other officials, a remarkable school set-up and willing volunteers, there has been no disruption in public health work in Eastham.

An eight-year public health nursing demonstration removes the need for a formal definition of public health nursing because 'actions speak louder than words'. Our aim has been to do all in our power to keep Eastham well and to delegate the responsibility where it belongs. Public health is not just a community matter but a very personal one as evidenced by the spread and control of contagious diseases.

Due to the wartime restrictions, it has been necessary to carefully analyze the nurse's job and function and to call

upon trained organized volunteers to assist or substitute for the nurse. No more is it considered a nurse's function to assist at dental clinics or to transport children to clinics when this service could well be given by a non-professional person, thus sparing the nurse's time for essential activities. While our Health Council has not held formal meetings, they have given valuable help with transportation, the dental clinics and well child conference. The Women's Defense Corps of Orleans has transported children to Hyannis clinics and are glad to give this service. We expect to call upon them in the future for transportation to the orthopedic and speech therapy and eye examination clinics.

No formal health talks were given in the schools except at the request of teachers to interpret special projects, such as the dental clinic, toxoid clinics and tuberculin patch tests which were offered to the 6th, 7th and 8th grades. It is felt that the teachers are better equipped to teach health in correlation with other subjects.

Physical examinations by Dr. Goff showed very few children with any defects, which means that parents are alert to corrections. The audiometer was used for all grades except the first and second, no children being found with impaired hearing. We hope that soon an audiometer will be available for use with the first and second grades. Vision tests for all grades showed nine additional children in need of further examination by an eye specialist, two being first graders. In the near future it is expected all school superintendents may desire to purchase their own vision testing equipment so that teachers may test their own pupils vision. Demonstrations in the use of the audiometer and vision testing were offered to the teachers with this in view.

Before Christmas plans were made for a toxoid clinic to be held on January 5th. At this time one booster dose will be given to children immunized more than two years

ago and the regular three inoculations to children never done. Parents are consenting 100% to this immunity.

In presenting the following statistical report we wish to mention that at present there are only 44 grammar school children in Eastham and just 27 pre-school and infants. That saying, 'Good things come in small packages' must surely apply to the Eastham children and Eastham itself. My thanks are offered to all who helped along the health program.

STATISTICAL REPORT

School Hygiene:		
School visits		25
Inspections		55
Admttted to nursing service		25
Field visits		71
Interviews:		
Teachers		30
Pupils		61
Parents		5
Tuberculin Patch Tests		21
Referred to Chest Clinic		4
Referred to Child Guidance Clinic		2
Referred to Orthopedic Clinic		2
Vision tests		44
Corrected vision		6
Physical examinations by Dr. Goff		44
Hearing tests with audiometer		37
Weighed and checked for nutrition		89
Dental Clinic:		
Children treated		38
Extractions	4	
Fillings	39	
Prophylaxis	38	
Total operations	——	81

Maternity Service	
Antepartum:	
Admitted to nursing service	7
Field visits	18
Postpartum:	
Admitted to nursing service	2
Field visits	7
Child Welfare Service	
Infants:	
Admitted to nursing service	6
Field visits	19
Preschool:	
Admitted to nursing service	32
Field visits	102
Attendance at Well Child Conference	9
Tuberculosis Service:	
Admitted to nursing service	1
Field visits	2
Visits with social workers	2
Visits with nutritionist	1
Interviews and visits in promotion of work	29
Visits to the Town	40

SCHOOL LUNCH

This department has shown itself to be no small part of the school health activity. For a demonstration of its popularity and its value one needs only to observe the children as they give active testimony of their appreciation of the appetizing lunches served by Mrs. Clara Fuller. Mr. Nickerson has daily contact with it. He tells us:

Mrs. Clara Fuller has assumed full care of our lunch room, and the ease with which she prepares superior food in her limited time is almost miraculous. Ask the children if they are satisfied with school lunches this year!''

This is indeed ''The proof of the pudding.'' A statement of costs of this department is shown in connection with the section ''Net Cost of Schools.'' It is a pleasure to be able to state that the Eastham School is in excellent condition. This statement applies to physical plant and equipment as well as to a good program of studies and a very fine corps of teachers. This condition does not just happen. It is the result of purposeful planning over a period of years. Let us hope for a continuance of good faith accompanied by work.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. PRATT

Superintendent of Schools.

EASTHAM

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

October 1, 1944

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
1	2	0	2
2	1	3	4
3	2	2	4
4	4	3	7
5	1	5	6
6	5	2	7
7	3	6	9
8	0	5	5

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP BY GRADES

1943 - 1944

October 1, 1944

Gr.	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944
1	11	8	14	9	9	12	9	11	3	4	2
2	12	17	8	14	13	10	7	6	11	3	4
3	10	10	14	9	13	9	7	9	5	7	4
4	14	15	11	10	7	11	11	7	8	6	7
5	17	11	13	10	12	8	8	13	7	4	6
6	14	14	15	14	11	9	8	8	9	8	7
7	11	11	11	9	15	10	9	9	6	6	9
8	10	11	11	10	6	14	10	9	10	7	5
	99	97	97	85	86	83	69	72	59	45	44

EASTHAM STUDENTS WHO ATTEND ORLEANS HIGH SCHOOL

During the Period Sept. 6, 1944 to Dec. 22, 1944

Name	Grade
Muriel Brewer	12
Charles Chase	12
Wilfred Gunn	12
Norma Nickerson	12
Martin Reimers	12
Dorothea Benner	11
Donald Brewer	11
William Hayes	11
Loretta Meunier	11
Gordon Nickerson	11
Teresa Stoke	11
Helen Stowe	11
William Sturtevant	11
Norma Acorn	10
Maude Chase	10
Patricia McMakin	10
Virginia Steele	10
Leonard Brewer	10
Francis Brown	10
Richard Clark	10
Kenelm Collins	10
Thomas Hayes	10
Harry Hopkins	10
Joseph Putnam	10
Robert Wiles	10

Judith Brackett	9
Robert Cross	9
Alice Doughty	9
Irene Eldredge	9
Manuel Escobar	9
Jean Knowles	9
Reginald Moulton	9

EASTHAM SCHOOL CENSUS

CHILDREN RESIDENT IN TOWN OCTOBER 1, 1944

	Boys	Girls	Total
5 Years or Over and Under 7	3	3	6
7 Years or Over and Under 16	11	6	17
Illiterate Minors 16 Years or Over and Under 21	1		1
			24

Distribution of the Above Minors

In Public day school membership:	
5 years or over and under 7	4
7 Years or over and under 16	17
In State and County Institutions:	
16 years or over and under 21	1
Not enrolled in any day school:	
5 years or over and under 7	2
7 years or over and under 16	0

SCHOOL CALENDAR

September 4, 1944—Labor Day	
September 5	Meeting of teachers of Union No. 21 at Chatham School at 9:30 A.M.
September 6	Classes meet for first session

Sept. 6, 1944 to Dec. 22, 1944	16 weeks—74 days
Sept. 4—Labor Day	
Sept. 5—Teachers' meeting 9:30 A.M. at Chatham	
Oct. 12—Thursday—Columbus Day	
Oct. 13—Friday—	
Nov. 11—Armistice Day—Saturday	
Nov. 30—Thursday—Thanksgiving	
Dec. 1—Friday—	
Jan. 1, 1945—Feb. 16, 1945	7 weeks—34 days
Jan. 1 New Year's (Monday)	
Feb. 26, 1945—April 14, 1945	7 weeks—35 days
Apr. 23, 1945—June 15, 1945	8 weeks—39 days
May 30—Memorial Day (Wednesday)	
Elementary	38 weeks—182 days
High School keeps Feb. 19, 20, 21	3
High School	185 days

Graduation Dates: 1945

June 13—Wednesday	7:30 P.M.—Eastham Graduation
June 14—Thursdays	8:00 P.M.—Orleans Graduation
June 15—Friday	2:00 P.M.—Chatham Graduation
June 15—Friday	8:00 P.M.—Harwich Graduation

Sept. 3, 1945—Labor Day

Sept. 4, 1945—Teachers' meeting—9:30 A.M., Harwich

Sept. 5, 1945—Classes meet for first session

Sept. 5, 1945 to Dec. 21, 1945 16 weeks

CORPS OF TEACHERS, JANUARY, 1945

Name	School	Preparation	Year Appointed	Experience Prior Sept. 1944	Salary	Home Address
Otto E. Nickerson	Grammar	Hyannis Normal	1924	25 yrs.	$1800	Eastham
Catherine M. Skinner	Intermediate	Bridgewater Normal	1944	12 yrs.	1200	So. Chatham
Vesta Gould	Primary	Hyannis Normal and Exten. Courses	1943	9 yrs.	1200	Eastham
Eleanor Anifantis	Vocal Music	Lowell Normal	1942	2 yrs.	180	Arlington
Thomas Nassi	Inst. Music	N. E. Conservatory	1929	16 yrs.	500	Orleans
Margery C. Grier	Art	Washington U., St. Louis	1944	11 yrs.	180	Harwich Port

Virginia F. Horton is on one year's leave of absence from September 1, 1944 to June 30, 1945.

Mrs. Catherine M. Skinner began her teaching in Eastham with the opening of school, September 6, 1944, taking grades IV and V in absence of Mrs. Horton.

Clarence K. Brayton resigned August 12, 1944. His period of service as Supervisor of Art in the towns of Union No. 21 covered the period of five years—September 5, 1939 to June 30, 1944.

Mrs. Margery C. Grier, who succeeds him, began her work with the opening of school September 6, 1944.

CLASS OF 1944

Graduation Exercises were held at the Eastham School

June 14, 1944

Judith Isabelle Brackett

Irene May Eldredge

Robert Cross

Manuel Perry Escobar

Reginald Bertram Moulton, Jr.

Norman Wesley Reimers

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

WARRANT

Including Recommendations of the Eastham Finance Committee

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the fifth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles in this Warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in said Town at 1:00 P.M. on Tuesday, the sixth day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Polls to be opened at 1:00 P. M. and may be closed at 5:30 P. M.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report including Recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to defray departmental expenses for the ensuing year:

	Depts. Heads' and Finance Com. Recommendations
SALARIES:	
Moderator	$ 25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Board Welfare	800.00
Assessors	700.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	2,000.00
Accountant	500.00
EXPENSES:	
Selectmen and Assessors	175.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	350.00
Officers' Traveling Expenses	100.00
Election Department	100.00
Surety on Bond	100.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Certificate of Notes	10.00
Legal Expense	150.00
Janitor	1,400.00
Town Hall	600.00
Police	150.00
Prevention and Suppression of Fires	300.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	30.00
Moth Suppression	800.00
Tree Warden	20.00
Health	200.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	500.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	800.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	6,000.00
Soldiers' Benefits	300.00
Schools	18,802.00
Tax Title	350.00
Town Landings	300.00
Memorial Day	70.00
Community Christmas Tree	35.00
Town Reports	300.00
Finance Committee	10.00
Insurance	500.00
Miscellaneous	125.00
Reserve	1,000.00
Old Cemeteries	150.00
Interest	150.00
School House	1,000.00

Town Dump	300.00
Ration Board	60.00
Civilian Defense	100.00
	$42,617.00

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Recommend that one be elected. Unanimous vote.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommend that the refunded Dog Tax be made available to the Public Library. Unanimous vote.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of financial year beginning January 1, 1945, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Sec. 17, Chap. 44, G. L.

Recommend that the Treasurer be so authorized. Unanimous vote.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Recommend the appropriation of $100.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment,

in accordance with Chap. 111, Sec. 74, G. L., or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend the appropriation of $300.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of Shellfish or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend the appropriation of $600.00 for the following purposes: Constable's salary $350.00; shellfish protection, $150.00 and propagation, $100.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels, and any kind and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Sec. 52, Chap. 130, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses for private grants under the provisions of Sec. 57, Chap. 130, G. L., as amended by Chap. 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 10. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization to plant and close areas as provided for under the provisions of Sec. 54, Chapter 130, G. L., as amended by the Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. 6 for and 2 against.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56, G. L., as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to petition the Commissioner for the right to regulate and control the public alewive fishery in the Town as provided by Section 94, G. L., as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote and an appropriation of $400.00 be made. Unanimous vote.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of fifty cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and appropriate the sum of $30.00 for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that no appropriation be made for this purpose. Unanimous vote.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1944 bills, under the provisions of Chapter 179, Acts of 1941.

Recommend appropriation be made if needed. Unanimous vote.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from appropriated available funds in the treasury to purchase War Bonds and other bonds to increase the Rehabilitation Fund in accordance with Provisions Chapter 5, Acts of 1943.

Recommend that the appropriation of $2,000.00 be taken from the available funds. Unanimous vote.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for the suppression of tent caterpillars under direction of local 4H Club Leaders, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the sum of $50.00 be appropriated. Unanimous vote.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout for an extension of the Town Landing or Common Landing Place the South Side of Salt Pond, as made out by the Selectmen and filed with the Town Clerk and to see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to take by eminent domain, purchase or gift, said landing and vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take action relative thereto.

Recommend we accept the article as read and raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for the purpose. Unanimous vote.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of clearing the sedge grass from the proposed new Town Landing at the Salt Pond, and do or act anything thereon. (By request.)

Recommend that no funds be appropriated. Unanimous vote.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Road Machinery Fund to the Road Machinery Operating Account, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the transfer of $200.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money towards installing and maintaining lights at Rock Harbor.

Recommend that no funds be appropriated. Unanimous vote.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 81 Highways, or take any other action thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $2,688.00 as the Town's share and $5,375.00 to be transferred from available funds to cover the State's share which will be reimbursed to the Town later. Unanimous vote.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available

funds in the treasury a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highways Maintenance, or take any action in relation thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $350.00 as the Town's share and $700.00 to be transferred from available funds to cover State's and County's shares which will be reimbursed to the Town later. Unanimous vote.

Article 25. To see what sums of money shall be taken from available funds towards defraying the tax levy for 1945.

Recommend the amount to be taken be left in the hands of the Assessors. Unanimous vote.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of maintaining a recreation center in the Town Hall under supervision of a committee appointed by the Selectmen or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of the sum of $100.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for repairs on the Old Wind Mill, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of the sum of $100.00 Unanimous vote.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the making and erecting of signs advertising the Town or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of the sum of $150.00 and the carrying out of this article be left in the hands of a committee appointed by the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.

Article 29. To see what rate the Town will pay for laborers and trucks for the ensuing year, or take any action thereto.

Recommend the rate of pay be 70c per hour for laborers, and $1.70 per hour for truck and driver. Unanimous vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham; at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham; at the Post Office in North Eastham, and at the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said Meeting as aforesaid. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said Meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 20th day of January in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-five.

MAURICE W. WILEY
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
GEORGE HOWARD
Selectmen of Eastham.

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EASTHAM HONOR ROLL

Those in the Armed Service December 31, 1945

Acorn, Charles H. Jr.
Benner, Louie A.
Brewer, Howard E.
Brewer, James R.
Brewer, Robert M.
Brown, James
Collins, Robert E.
Deschamps, Robert L.
Emond, Franklin J.
Eldredge, Luther M.
Escobar, Antone P. Jr.
Escobar, Charles P.
Fulcher, Robert E.
Fulcher, Ezekiel D.
Hayes, Julian C.
Hayes, William
Hoffman, Robert
Hopkins, Wendell R.
Horton, Edwin W. Jr.
Hurd, Brooks H.
Hurd, Prince H. Jr.
Johnson, David
King, George O.
Knowles, James P.
Lee, Irving S.
Lincoln, Frank B.
Mayo, Kenneth F.
Nickerson, A. Henry
Nickerson, Arhtur C.
Nickerson, Raymond
Ormsby, Ralph L.
Reimers, Martin S.
Rongner, George E.
Schofield, James E.
Schofield, Winford L.
Sparrow, Fenton B.
Steele, William B. Jr.
Sturtevant, William D.
Tarvers, Leonard E.
Watson, William M.
Wilson, Ernest C.

IN MEMORIAM

EDWARD D. PENNIMAN

Born in Eastham, March 25th, 1870
Died May 1st, 1945

Served as Member of the
Board of Selectmen, Assessor, Welfare, and Health
from 1924 until his death.

TOWN OFFICERS

FOR THE YEAR 1945

Selectmen, Board of Assessors, Board of Health and Registrars of Voters

Maurice W. Wiley, Chr.	Term expires 1946
Edward D. Penniman	
George Howard	Term expires 1947
Luther P. Smith*	Term expires 1948

Board of Welfare

George Howard, Chr.	Term expires 1947
Edward D. Penniman	
Maurice W. Wiley	Term expires 1946
Luther P. Smith*	Term expires 1948

Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector and Registrars of Voters

Leslie E. Chase

Highway Surveyor

Nathan A. Nickerson

Trustees of the Public Library

Otto E. Nickerson, Chr.	Term expires 1946
Esther I. Gunn	Term expires 1947
Minnie W. Brewer	Term expires 1948

Moderator

Ralph A. Chase

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*Elected to fill unexpired term of Mr. Penniman.

Constables

Harvey T. Moore
Charles F. Atwood (Designated Shellfish Constable)

Tree Warden

John P. Grozier

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Town Accountant

Isabelle Brackett

Inspector of Cattle and Slaughtering

Harry W. Collins

Moth Superintendent

John P. Grozier

Pound Keeper

Harry A. Collins

Field Drivers

Adin L. Gill Warren A. Goff Arthur Brown

Custodian of Town Dump

Charles P. Escobar

Forest Fire Warden

Nathan A. Nickerson

Shellfish Constable

Charles F. Atwood

Burial Agent

Herbert D. Nickerson

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Stanley M. Walker

Chief of Police

Maurice W. Wiley

Special Police

Walter A. Nickerson	Herman A. Dill
Horace A. Moore	Leslie E. Chase
Alfred O. Stowell	Charles S. Whiting

Sanitary and Milk Inspectors

George F. Crocker — Alton Robbins (Assistant)

Inspector of Wires

Maurice A. Moore

Supervisor of Old Cemeteries and Soldiers' and Sailors' Lots

Fred F. Dill

Finance Committee

Harry S. Young, Chairman and Secretary	Term expires 1947
Emerson B. Wentworth	Term expires 1946
Ralph L. Rogers	Term expires 1946
Arthur E. Brown	Term expires 1946
Harold L. Arnold	Term expires 1947
Alfred L. Gill	Term expires 1947
Oscar Pierce	Term expires 1948
Henry O. Daniels	Term expires 1948
Carl C. French	Term expires 1948

LIST OF JURORS

Prepared by the Board of Selectmen, in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 234, of the General Laws.

Name	Occupation	Residence
Andrew C. Merrill	Piano Tuner	Eastham
Alfred L. Gill	Merchant	Eastham
Maurice W. Wiley	Farmer	North Eastham
Raymond Scrivens	Postmaster	North Eastham
Albion F. Rich, Jr.	Caretaker	North Eastham
Wesley B. Moore	Clerk	Eastham
Raymond N. Knowles	Lineman	South Eastham

MAURICE W. WILEY
GEORGE HOWARD
LUTHER P. SMITH

Selectmen of Eastham

Assessors' Report

VALUATION OF TOWN JANUARY 1, 1945

Real Estate, Land	$402,200.00
Real Estate, Buildings	937,380.00
Personal Estate	147,440.00
Real Estate, Land (Dec. Assessment)	610.00
Total Valuation	$1,487,630.00

TAXES ASSESSED TO DECEMBER 31, 1945

Levied on Real Estate	$32,819.71
Levied on Personal Estate	3,612.28
Levied on Polls	406.00
Gained by Fractions	6.19
Motor Vehicle Excise	749.68
Dec. Assessment	14.97
Rate of Taxation	24.50
Number of Polls Assessed	206
Number of Horses Assessed	5
Number of Cows Assessed	29
Number of Neat Cattle other than Cows Assessed	6
Number of Swine Assessed	1
Number of Fowl Assessed	1344
Number of Goats Assessed	6
Acres of Land Assessed	6860.25

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE W. WILEY
GEORGE HOWARD
LUTHER P. SMITH

Board of Assessors.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—EASTHAM 1945 RECAPITULATION

			Figures Used in Fixing Tax Rates
A.	**CITY OR TOWN: Include all Appropriations Voted Since 1944 Tax Rate was Fixed**		G.L. Chap. 59, 23, 25
1.	Total Appropriations as certified by town clerk to be raised by Taxation. Chap. 41, 15A		$48,935.00
2.	Total appropriations voted to be taken from available funds:		
	(a) In 1945		8,389.65
	(b) Deficits due to abatements in excess of overlay of prior years—		
	1940 $1.35 — 1942 $10.99		
	1941 1.28 — 1943 18.11		31.73
B.	**STATE: Tax and Assessments:**		
1.	State Tax	$1,564.00	
2.	State Parks and Reservations	38.40	
3.	Cape Cod Mosquito Control (Barnstable County Only	533.91	
4.	State Audit of Municipal Accounts	520.64	
5.	Underestimates: State Park .01; C. C. Mosquito Control $1.07	1.08	
			2,658.03
C.	**COUNTY: Tax and Assessments:**		
1.	County Tax		5,123.15
	Overlay of Current Year		592.91
E.	**Gross Amount to be Raised**		**$65.730.47**
F.	**ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS**		
1.	Income Tax	$3,916.87	
2.	Corporation Taxes	2,068.55	
3.	Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	700.00	

4.	Licenses	508.81	
5.	Fines (Library)	15.01	
6.	Special Assessments (Moth)	87.50	
7.	Gasoline Tax under Acts of 1943, Chap. 569	3,459.82	
8.	Charities (other than federal grants for aid to dependent children)	1,000.00	
9.	Old Age Assistance (other than federal grants)	4,000.00	
10.	Old Age Tax, Meals, Chap. 64B, 10 G.L.	216.00	
11.	Schools, State and Boston	4,202.00	
12.	Interests on Taxes	200.00	
13.	Inspection of Animals	20.00	
14.	Sealer of Weights and Measures	7.71	
15.	Reimbursement on Account of State owned Land	7.12	
16.	County Dog Officer	24.00	
17.	Amounts voted to be taken from available funds	8,389.65	
	TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS		28,886.29
G.	**Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation on Polls and Property**		$36,844.18
H.	Number of Polls: 203, at $2.00 each Poll Tax	406.00	
J.	Total Valuation: Personal Property $ 147.440 (tax rate $24.50)	3,612.28	
	Real Estate 1,339,580	32,819.71	
K.	Gained on account of fractional divisions of tax rate	6.19	
	TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON POLLS AND PROPERTY		$36,844.18

Report on Sales of Tax Possession Land

There is still a demand for land held by the Town as the sale reports show.

With more research work and surveying to be done there should be several more lots for sale. The Town now has around 600 lots to be sold.

Sale	Sale Price	Costs	Gain
No. 1.	$ 73.00	$11.09	$ 61.91
No. 2.	75.00	60.24	14.76
No. 3.	98.00	51.60	46.40
No. 4.	80.00	39.94	40.06
No. 5.	100.00		100.00
No. 6.	150.00	46.08	103.92
No. 7.	50.00	19.15	30.85
No. 8.	50.00	24.07	25.93
No. 9.	150.00	91.93	58.07
No. 10.	75.00	39.06	35.94
No. 11.	100.00	72.64	27.36
No. 12.	80.00	37.60	42.40
No. 13.	100.00	44.41	55.59
No. 14.	100.00	51.24	48.76
No. 15.	75.00	38.43	36.57
No. 16.	75.00	38.43	36.57
No. 17.	75.00	51.24	23.76
No. 18.	150.00	26.69	123.31
No. 19.	200.00	58.90	141.10
No. 20.	150.00	71.09	78.91
No. 21.	150.00	38.30	111.70
No. 22.	20.00	10.06	9.94
	$2,176.00	$922.19	$1,253.81
Expenses (See Accountant's Report, Sale T. Poss. Land)			136.89
Gains for year			$1,116.92

MAURICE W. WILEY
GEORGE HOWARD
LUTHER P. SMITH
Board of Selectmen.

Report of Town Treasurer

RECEIPTS

January 1, 1945 balance in Treasury	$30,208.58
Receipts to December 31, 1945	87,924.30
	$118,132.88

PAYMENTS

Warrants No. 1 to 36	$82,441.42
December 31, 1945 on deposit	35,339.89
December 31, 1945 Cash and Checks on hand	351.57
	$118,132.88

INVESTED FUNDS

U. S. Government Bonds, $12,000.

SUMMARY

December 31, 1945 on deposit	$35,339.89
December 31, 1945 Cash and Checks on hand	351.89
December 31, 1945 U. S. Government Bonds	12,000.00
	$47,691.78

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Treasurer

Report of Collector of Taxes

DR.

Balance due Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	$2,719.12
Balance due Taxes of 1944 Personal	69.75
Balance due Taxes of 1944 Moth	14.50
Warrant Taxes of 1945 Real Estate	32,825.20
Additional Warrant Taxes of 1945 Real Estate	14.97
Warrant Taxes of 1945 Personal	3,612.98
Warrant Taxes of 1945 Poll	406.00
Abatement after payment refund	1.23
	$39,663.75

CR.

Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	$2,527.11
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1944 Personal	69.75
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1944 Moth	14.50
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1945 Real Estate	30,283.00
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1945 Personal	3,520.32
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1945 Poll	250.00
Abatement Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	52.00
Abatement Taxes of 1945 Real Estate	247.54
Abatement after payment Taxes of 1945 Real Estate	1.23
Abatement Taxes of 1945 Personal	3.19
Abatement Taxes of 1945 Poll	156.00
Tax Titles of 1944	69.50
Tax Titles of 1945	174.86
Uncollected Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	70.51
Uncollected Taxes of 1945 Real Estate	2,134.77
Uncollected Taxes of 1945 Personal	89.47
	$39,663.75

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE

DR.

Balance due Excise of 1944	$ 18.00
Warrants Excise of 1945	747.68
	$765.68

CR.

Paid Treasurer Excise of 1944	$ 18.00
Paid Treasurer Excise of 1945	721.98
Abatement Excise of 1945	2.85
Uncollected Excise of 1945	22.85
	$765.68

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Treasurer.

Report of Custodian of Trust Funds

MUNICIPAL TRUST FUNDS

Timothy Smith Fund

Receipts

January 1, 1945, on deposit	$22,948.36
Income April Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co.	388.46
Income October Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	372.42
Interest Wellfleet Savings Bank	226.81
Interest Cape Cod Trust Co.	116.07
Loans Repaid	710.00
Interest on Loans	75.21
	$24,837.44

Payments

December 31, 1945, on deposit	$13,687.44
U. S. Government War Bonds	11,000.00
Library	100.00
Gift Clause	50.00
	$24,837.44

Loans Prior to 1945	$8,332.41
Loans repaid in 1945	710.11
	$7,622.30
Loans in 1945	None

Summary

Cash on deposit	$13,687.44
Investment U. S. War Bonds	11,000.00
Loans	7,622.30
	$32,309.74

BILLINGS LIBRARY FUND

January 1, 1945 In Trust	$14,000.00
Income January	210.00
Income July	210.00
	$14,420.00
Deposited in Town Funds for Support of Library	420.00
December 31, 1945 In Trust	14,000.00
	$14,420.00

TOWN HALL INCOME FUND

January 1, 1945	$423.62
Interest April	4.09
Interest October	4.27
October 16, Deposit	128.81
	$560.79

No payments from this account

OLD GRIST MILL OPERATING FUND

January 1, 1945 On Deposit	$6.53
Interest April	.06
Interest October	.06
	$6.65

No payments from this account

OLD WIND GRIST MILL FUND

January 1, 1945 On Deposit	$532.05
Interest January	5.32
Interest July	5.19
	$542.56

Payments

November 29, Withdrawn	$ 17.50
December 31, 1945 On deposit	525.06
	$542.56

EASTHAM WORLD WAR MEMORIAL FUND

January 1, 1945 On Deposit	$482.61
Interest January	4.82
Interest July	4.87
	$492.30

No withdrawals from this account in 1945

EASTHAM COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE FUND

January 1, 1945 On deposit	$77.52
Interest June	.39
Interest December	.39
	$78.30

Payments

December 31, 1945 Withdrawn	$17.63
December 31, 1945 On deposit	60.67
	$78.30

POST WAR REHABILITATION FUND

January 1, 1945	On Deposit	$125.00
February 16, 1945	Deposited	125.00
August 17, 1945	Deposited	125.00
September 17, 1945	Deposited	25.00
Interest April		1.04
Interest October		2.72
		$403.76

No withdrawals from this account in 1945

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Perpetual Care

Zara Higgins Fund

January 1, 1945	On Deposit	$129.91
Interest January		1.32
Interest July		1.31
		$132.54
December 31, 1945	Withdrawn	$ 4.00
December 31, 1945	On deposit	128.54
		$132.54

Frank O. Daniels Fund

January 1, 1945	On deposit	$51.11
Interest January		.51
Interest July		.51
		$52.13

No withdrawals from this account in 1945

Mercy A. Mines Fund

January 1, 1945	On Deposit	$51.10
Interest January		.51
Interest July		.51
		$52.12

No withdrawals from this account in 1945

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Treasurer.

Report of Town Clerk

DOGS LICENSED IN 1945

35 Male Dogs	@	$2.00	$70.00	
9 Female Dogs	@	5.00	45.00	
22 Spayed Females	@	2.00	44.00	
				$159.00

Fees Retained—66 @ .20	$13.20	
June 2 Paid County Treasurer	98.40	
Dec. 13 Paid County Treasurer	47.40	
		$159.00

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Division of Fisheries and Game

			Total	Fees	Paid Div. of F. & G.
42	Resident Citizens Fishing Licenses	@ $2.00	$84.00	$10.50	$73.50
75	Resident Citizens Hunting Licenses	@ 2.00	150.00	18.75	131.25
24	Resident Sporting Licenses	@ 3.25	78.00	6.00	72.00
21	Women and Minors Fishing Licenses	@ 1.25	26.25	5.25	21.00
2	Resident Minors Trappers Licenses	@ 2.25	4.50	.50	4.00
5	Resident Trappers Licenses	@ 5.25	26.25	1.25	25.00
7	Non Resident 3 Day Fishing Licenses	@ 1.50	10.50	1.75	8.75
9	Non-Resident Hunting Licenses	@ 10.25	92.25	2.25	90.00
4	Duplicate Licenses	@ .50	2.00	——	2.00
8	Non-Resident Military Sporting Licenses	@ 2.00	16.00	2.00	14.00
33	Resident Military Sporting Licenses	No Fee	——	——	——
3	Old Age Assistance Fishing Licenses	No Fee	——	——	——
7	Resident Citizens Sporting Licenses	No Fee	——	——	——
			$489.75	$48.25	$441.50

BIRTHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1945

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Jan. 14	Karen Muriel Nickerson	Alfred William Nickerson	Frances Joseph Albrecht
Jan. 17	Ellen Janet Westergard, Jr.	Raymond Frederick Westergard	Ellen Janet Fulcher
Jan. 18	Katherine Brown	Albert Leroy Brown	Caroline Elizabeth Allen
Mar. 2	Roger Everett Gill	Merton Everett Gill	Dorcas Mary Daley
Apr. 7	Lindsay Warren Moreau	Louis William Moreau	Evelyn Ruth Wiles
May 12	Fred Prescott Turner, Jr.	Fred Prescott Turner	Esther Knowles (Tibbals)
Sept. 16	Linda May Fletcher	Edward Horton Fletcher	Phyllis Evelyn Billings
Oct. 3	Janice Christine Eddy	Sumner Lincoln Eddy, Jr.	Barbara Ella Walker
Oct. 27	Elisabeth Crawford Brooks	Samuel Stewart Brooks	Elisabeth Ross Crawford

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1945

June 2	Paul W. Knowles	Eastham, Mass.
	Cynthia L. Burt	Acushnet, Mass.
June 15	Nil William Rice	Indianapolis, Ind.
	Norma Francenia Nickerson	Eastham, Mass.
July 29	George Emil Rongner	Eastham, Mass.
	Frances Evelyn Darling	Orleans, Mass.

DEATHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1945

		Yr.	Mo.	Da.
Feb. 28	Cavalier Houdlette Robbins	84	0	3
Apr. 13	George F. Meacham	56	9	0
May 1	Tamson Adams (Clark) Nickerson	72	9	10
May 1	Edward Damon Penniman	75	1	6
May 14	Emma Crumley Johnson	63	10	30
May 29	Robert Elwood Horton	59	6	13
June 12	Joseph Mulfred Dill	78	3	11
July 17	Carrie Linwood (Knowles) Forrest	68	7	19
July 19	Charles Augustus Digney	70	8	15
Aug. 13	Sarah J. Bresnahan	77	0	0
Oct. 19	Dora Evelyn (Allen) Eldridge	65	4	22
Nov. 25	Marcia Lena (Rogers) Roach	84	5	15
Dec. 25	Robert F. Foster	92	6	25

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Including Recommendations of Eastham Finance Committee

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham, in the County of Barnstable: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Eastham on Monday, the Fifth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles in this warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in said town at 1 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, the Sixth day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary town officials.

Polls to be opened at 1 P.M. and may be closed at 5:30 P.M.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report including recommendations of the Selectmen and Town Officials and Committees and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to defray departmental expenses for the ensuing year.

SALARIES

	Recommendations of Department Heads and Finance Committee
Moderator	$25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary of Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	1,100.00

Board of Welfare	800.00
Assessors	700.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes	2,000.00
Accountant	500.00

EXPENSES

Selectmen and Assessors	$175.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer and Collector	350.00
Officers' Traveling Expenses	100.00
Election Department	100.00
Surety on Bonds	100.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00
Legal Expense	150.00
Janitor	1,400.00
Town Hall	600.00
Police	150.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	300.00
Sealer of Weight and Measures	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	30.00
Moth Suppression	800.00
Tree Warden	20.00
Health	200.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	500.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	800.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	6,000.00
Soldiers' Benefits	300.00
Schools	18,802.00
Tax Titles	350.00

Town Landing	300.00	
Memorial Day	70.00	
Community Christmas Tree	35.00	
Town Reports	300.00	
Finance Committee	10.00	
Insurance	500.00	
Miscellaneous	125.00	
Reserve Fund	1,000.00	
Old Cemeteries	150.00	
Interest	150.00	
Schoolhouse Note	1,000.00	
Town Dump	300.00	
Ration Board	60.00	
Civilian Defense	100.00	
		$42,617.00

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension.

Recommend that the town so vote.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded dog tax.

Recommended that the refunded dog tax be made available to the Public Library.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1945, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, and to renew any notes or notes that may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Recommended that the Treasurer be so authorized.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library.

Recommended that the sum of $100.00 be appropriated.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Sec. 74, General Laws or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommended an appropriation of $300.00

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of shellfish or take any action relative thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommended an appropriation of $600.00 for the following purposes: Contable's Salary, $350.00; shellfish protection, $150.00., and propagation, $100.00.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish, and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 52, Chapter 130, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the town so vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to raise licenses fees for private grants under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, G. L., as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommened that the town so vote.

Article 10. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authority to plant and close areas as provided for under the provisions of Section 54, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by the Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the town so vote.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the town so vote.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to petition the Commissioner for the right to regulate and control the public alewife fishery in the Town as provided by Section 94, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote and an appropriation of $400.00 be made.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of fifty cents for each woodchuck killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and appropriate the sum of $30.00 for this purpose.

Recommend that no appropriation be made for this purpose.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1944 bills, under the provisions of Chapter 179, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that an appropriation be made if needed.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to purchase War Bonds and other bonds to increase the Rehabilitation Fund in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 5, Acts of 1943.

Recommend that the appropriation of $2,000.00 be taken from available funds.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for the suppression of tent caterpillars under the direction of Local 4-H Leaders, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the sum of $50.00 be appropriated.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout for an extension of the Town Landing or Common Landing Place on the south side of the Salt Pond as laid out by the Selectmen and filed with the Town Clerk, and to see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to take by eminent domain, purchase or gift, said landing, and vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that we accept the article as read and raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for this purpose.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of clearing the sedge-grass from the proposed new Town Landing at the Salt Pond and do or act anything thereon.

Recommend that no funds be appropriated.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Road Machinery Fund to the Road Machinery Operating Account or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the transfer of $200.00.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money toward maintaining and installing lights at Rock Harbor.

Recommend that no funds be appropriated.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 81 Highways, or take any action thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $2,688.00 as the Town's share and $5,375.00 to be transferred from available funds to cover the State's share which will be reimbursed to the Town later.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $350.00 as the Town's share and $700.00 to be transferred from available funds to cover the State's and County's shares, whcih will be reimbursed to the Town later.

Article 25. To see what sum of money shall be taken from available funds towards defraying the tax levy of 1945.

Recommend the amount to be taken be left in the hands of the Assessors.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of maintaining a recreation center in the Town Hall under the supervision of a committee appointed by the Selectmen or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend an appropriation of $100.00.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for repairs on the Old Wind Mill or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend an appropriation of $100.00.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the making and erecting of signs advertising the Town or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend an appropriation of $150.00 to be left in the hands of a committee appointed by the Selectmen.

Article 29. To see what rate the Town will vote to pay for laborers and trucks for the ensuing year.

Recommend that the Town pay 70 cents per hour for laborers and $1.70 per hour for trucks and drivers for the ensuing year.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, the Post Office in Eastham and the Post Office in North Eastham, seven days at least before time of holding said meeting. **Hereof fail not** and make due return of this warrant with your doing theron to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Eastham this 20th day of January in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-five.

MAURICE W. WILEY
EDWARD D. PENNIMAN
GEORGE HOWARD

Selectmen of Eastham

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING FEBRUARY 5, 1945

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the qualified voters met at the Town Hall, warrant calling meeting duly read with the return of the officer who served the said warrant. Tellers appointed Mary Atwood and Clarence E. Walker they being duly sworn the Moderator then placed the article one before the meeting.

Article 1. The Moderator requested the meeting to allow the spokesman for the Finance Committee to explain their recommendations before discussion by the meeting, this request was granted. Voted to accept the budget as printed.

Salaries

Moderator	$25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary of Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Board of Welfare	800.00
Assessors	700.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes	2,000.00
Accountant	500.00

Expense

Selectmen and Assessors	175.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes	350.00
Officers Traveling Expense	100.00
Election Department	100.00
Surety on Bonds	100.00
Assessors Abstracts	75.00
Certification of Notes	10.00
Legal Expense	150.00
Janitor	1,400.00
Town Hall	600.00
Police	150.00
Prevention and Suppression of Fires	300.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	30.00
Moth Suppression	800.00
Tree Warden	20.00
Health	200.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	500.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	800.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	6,000.00
Soldiers Benefits	300.00
Schools	18,802.00
Tax Titles	350.00
Town Landings	300.00
Memorial Day	70.00
Community Christmas Tree	35.00
Town Reports	300.00
Finance Committee	10.00
Insurance	500.00
Miscellaneous	125.00
Reserve Fund	1,000.00

Old Cemeteries	150.00	
Interest	150.00	
Schoolhouse Note	1,000.00	
Town Dump	300.00	
Ration Board	60.00	
Civilian Defense	100.00	
		$42,617.00

Article 2. Voted to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service. Elected Joseph H. Putnam, Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. Voted that the refunded Dog Tax be made available to the Public Library.

Article 4. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1945 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year and to renew any note or notes that may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 5. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for support and maintenance of the Public Library.

Article 6. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the purpose of establishing a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. for care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen, to be residents of the town and unable to pay for such care and treatment in accordance with Chapter 111 Section 74 of the General Laws.

Article 7. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 for shellfish purposes, to be apportioned as follows: Constable $350.00, protection $150.00, and for propagation $300.00.

Article 8. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms as provided for under the provisions of Section 52, Chapter 130, Acts of 1941.

Article 9 Voted to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses for private grants under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130 General Laws, Acts of 1941.

Article 10 Voted to invest the Selectmen with the authorization to plant and close areas provided for under the provisions of Section 54, Chapter 130 General Laws as amended by the Acts of 1941.

Article 11 Voted to authorize the selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56 General Laws as amended by Chapter 598 Acts of 1941.

Article 12 Voted to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge for all Shellfish permits issued, recommended that a charge of $10.00 for Commercial Bay permits and $5.00 for Commercial permits be made.

Article 13 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to petition the Commissioner for the right to control its alewife fishery within the town.

Article 14 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the town under tax title procedure and appropriate the sum of $400.00 for the expense thereof.

Article 15 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $30.00 for woodchuck suppression and to pay at the rate of 50 cents for each one killed and the tail presented to the Treasurer.

Article 16 Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 17 Voted to appropriate from available funds the sum of $2,000.00 for the purchase of War Bonds for the Post War Re-habilitation Fund.

Article 18 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 for suppression of tent caterpillars under the direction of the Local 4H club leader.

Article 19 Voted that the Town of Eastham accept an extension of the Town Landing on the south side of the Salt Pond in said Eastham, with the boundaries and measurements as reported by the Selectmen under date of January 19, 1945, and authorize and instruct the Selectmen of the said Town of Eastham to acquire by gift, purchase or eminent domain under Chapter 88 Section 14 of the General Laws of Massachusetts and Chapter 79 Section 1 and any other chapter or section thereof pertaining thereto, in behalf of the Town of Eastham the land or "the interest in the land therein taken" within the lines of said layout for said Town Landing in fee, and for this purpose votes to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding One Thousand ($1,000.00) dollars.

Article 20 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum $150.00 for the purpose of clearing sedge grass from the proposed Town Landing Extension.

Article 21 Voted to transfer the sum of $200.00 from the Road Machinery Fund to the Road Machinery Operating Account.

Article 22 Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 23 Voted that the sum of $2,688.00 to raised and appropriated to meet the town's share of the cost of Chapter 81 highways, and that, in addition, the sum of $5,375.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's share of the cost

of the work, the re-imbursement from the State to be restored upon their receipt to unappropriated available funds in the treasury.

Article 24 Voted that the sum of $350.00 be raised and appropriated to meet the Town share of the cost of Chapter 90 highway maintenance, and in addition the sum of $700.00 be transferred to meet the State's and County's shares of the cost of the work, the re-imbursement from the State and County to be restored upon their receipt to unappropriated available funds in the treasury.

Article 25 Voted that the sum of money to be taken from available funds for the reduction of taxes for the year 1945 be left in the hands of the Board of Assessors.

Article 26 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the purpose of maintaining a Recreation Center at the Town Hall.

Article 27 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for the repairs of the Old Windmill.

Article 28 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum $150.00 for the purpose of erecting signs to advertise the town, said work to be done under the direction of a committee to be appointed by the Selectmen.

Article 29 Voted to pay the following rate for Town hire. 70 cents per hour for labor, $1.70 per hour for truck and driver.

At this time the Moderator announced his appointments to the Finance Committee for three years. Those appointed Carl C. French, Oscar G. Pierce and Henry O. Daniels.

Minutes of meeting read and approved.

Voted to adjourn at 2:05 p.m.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL ELECTION, FEBRUARY 6, 1945

Polls opened at 1 P.M.

Elected:

Ralph A. Chase, Moderator for one year.

Edward D. Penniman, Selectman, Assessor, Member of Board of Health and member of Board of Public Welfare for three years.

Leslie E. Chase, Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year.

John P. Grozier, Tree Warden for one year.

Harvey T. Moore and Charles F. Atwood, Constables for one year.

Katherine A. Moore, School Committee for three years.

Minnie W. Brewer, Trustee of the Public Library for three years.

Nathan A. Nickerson, Highway Surveyor for one year.

Poll closed at 5:30 P.M.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Officers Appointed by the Selectmen:

Adin L. Gill	Field Driver
Warren A. Goff	Field Driver
Arthur E. Brown	Field Driver
Charles P. Escobar	Custodian of Town Dump
Herbert D. Nickerson	Burial Agent
Stanley M. Walker	Sealer of Weights and Measures
Maurice W. Wiley	Chief of Police

Horace C. Moore	Special Police
Walter F. Nickerson	Special Police
Leslie E. Chase	Special Police
Charles S. Whiting	Special Police
Herman A. Dill	Special Police
Alfred O. Stowell	Special Police
George F. Crocker	Sanitary and Milk Inspector
Alton Robbins	Asst. Sanitary and Milk Inspector
Maurice A. Moore	Inspector of Wiring
Reuben S. Hopkins	Inspector of Wiring

Designated by the Selectmen:

Charles F. Atwood	Shellfish Constable

Moderator's Appointments to Finance Committee for three years:

Carl C. French, Oscar G. Pierce and Henry O. Daniels.

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL ELECTION

June 29, 1945

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Eastham on Friday, the 29th day of June 1945, at 12 o'clock noon, then and there to elect a Selectman, Assessor, Member of Board of Health and Member of the Board of Public Welfare, whose term is to expire at the Annual Town Election in 1948.

Polls to be open at 12 noon and may be closed at 6 P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one at the Post Office in Eastham, the Post Office in North Eastham, the packing house of Bernard C. Collins and the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham seven days at least before time of holding meeting as aforesaid.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Eastham, this Sixteenth of June in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-five.

MAURICE W. WILEY,
GEORGE HOWARD,

Selectmen of Eastham.

SPECIAL ELECTION JUNE 29, 1945

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the qualified voters met at the Town Hall Harvey T. Moore, Abbott S. Knowles, George Howard, Maurice W. Wiley appointed Election Officers and sworn by the Clerk.

Voted as follows:
Luther P. Smith had one hundred and six votes.
Harry S. Young had ninety votes.
Blanks, none.

Ballot box stood at opening of polls at 12 noon, none.
At closing of polls at 6 P.M. 195 ballots.
Having missed one ballot in registering, total number of ballots cast 196.

Luther P. Smith having a plurality of votes was duly declared elected.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Mr. Leslie E. Chase
Town Clerk:

In accordance with the established procedure, this informs you that on Tuesday, February 13, 1945, the newly constituted Eastham Finance Committee held its initial meeting for the purpose of electing a Chairman and Secretary for the current year.

At this meeting Harry S. Young was unanimously elected Chairman and Secretary.

HARRY S. YOUNG. Sec.

Attest:
Leslie E. Chase, Town Clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Fees of Town Clerk, Treasurer Collector of Taxes

Eastham, Mass.
Dec. 31, 1945

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Eastham, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit the amount of fees retained by me in my town office.

Collector of Taxes Demands and Costs	$73.45	
Tax Titles	107.25	
Town Clerk Recording	14.10	
Pole Locations and Filing Plans	17.00	
Vital Records		
Birth Certificates	9.00	
Marriage Certificates	1.50	
Death Certificates	6.50	
Dog Licenses Fees	14.40	
Fish & Game Licenses Fees	48.50	
		$291.70
State Treasurer Fees Bounty on Seals		2.00
		$293.70

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk, Treasurer,
Collector of Taxes.

MAURICE W. WILEY
GEORGE HOWARD
LUTHER P. SMITH
Selectmen of Eastham.

Report of Town Accountant

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I have the honor of submitting the report of the Accounting Department for the year ending December 31, 1945, as follows:

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1, 1945		$30,208.58
General Revenue		
Taxes 1944 Real	$2,527.11	
Taxes 1944 Personal	69.75	
Taxes 1945 Real	30,283.00	
Taxes 1945 Personal	3,520.32	
Poll Tax 1945	250.00	
		36,650.18
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1944	18.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1945	721.98	
		739.98
Tax Title Redemption	674.52	
Sale of Land	2,176.00	
		2,850.52
From State:		
Income Tax	4,685.00	
Business Corporation Tax	2,680.43	
Meal Tax	305.41	
Gasoline Tax	3,459.82	
		11,130.66

From County:		
Dog Licenses	114.65	
Chapter 90	350.00	
		464.65
Licenses and Permits:		
Shellfish Licenses and Grants	609.81	
Dog Licenses	145.80	
Cabin	2.50	
Firearms	1.50	
Undertaker License	1.00	
Pasteurization License	10.00	
Victuallers License	2.00	
Innholders License	4.00	
Milk License	6.00	
Gasoline	5.00	
		787.61
Grants and Gifts		
School Superintendent	220.31	
Transportation	1,985.27	
		2,205.58
Schools		
City of Boston	837.58	
School Lunch	723.18	
School Lunch (Federal Reimbursement)	462.28	
School Milk Agency	174.20	
Telephone	.52	
Rent of Schoolroom	5.00	
		2,202.76
Interest		
Taxes Real, Personal, Poll	70.12	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	2.21	
Demands	8.75	
Tax Title Interest	92.06	
		173.14

Tailings		2.70
Commercial		
Moth	14.50	
Library Fines	29.67	
Rent of Highway Machinery	309.00	
Sale of Library Windows	5.00	
Rent of Town Hall	5.00	
		363.17
Unclassified		
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes	7.12	
Sale of Voting Lists	2.00	
Telephone	.35	
Tax Title Redemptions	42.00	
Recording	48.00	
Snow Removal	57.40	
Health	3.00	
Dept. Agriculture	20.00	
Land Court Costs	31.00	
		210.87
Charity		
Federal Grants		
Old Age Assistance	4,906.96	
Ald Age Assistance Adm.	163.49	
Aid Dependent Children	330.00	
Aid Dependent Children Adm.	4.78	
		5,405.23
State Grants		
Old Age Assistance from State	4,678.94	
Aid Dependent Children from State	634.64	
		5,313.58
From State		
Bounty on Seals	22.00	
Highway Chap. 81	5,430.59	
Highway Chap. 90	350.00	
		5,802.59

Refunds		
Soldiers' Benefits	10.00	
Dog Account	12.00	
Town Hall	26.10	
School	10.65	
Tax Title A/C	.50	
Recreation Center	2.69	
		61.94
Income		
Billings Fund	420.00	
Timothy Smith Fund	760.88	
Town Hall Fund	128.81	
Post War Rehabilitation Fund	275.00	
		1,584.69
Trust Funds Withdrawn		
Timothy Smith Fund Loans	785.32	
Timothy Smith Fund Bonds	11,000.00	
Timothy Smith Fund Gifts	150.00	
Old Grist Windmill Fund	17.50	
Christmas Tree Fund	17.63	
Zara Higgins Cemetery Fund	4.00	
		11,974.45
Total Receipts		$118,132.88

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's Salaries	$1,048.60
Assessor's Salaries	666.00
Salary Board of Welfare	586.25
Salary Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	2,000.00
Accountant's Salary and Expense	516.86
Moderator	25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Salary Secretary Finance Committee	50.00

Janitor	1,400.00
Officer's Traveling Expense	131.73
Selectmen's and Assessor's Expense	172.76
Assessor's Abstracts	67.82
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense	521.16
Legal Expense	150.00
Surety on Bond	76.25
Election and Registration	88.20
Town Hall	774.83
Police	83.00
Civilian Defense	47.01
Moth Suppression	752.43
Suppression Tent Caterpillars	25.00
Shellfish Protection	368.45
Shellfish Propagation	111.35
Prevention Suppression Forest Fires	183.00
Sealer Weights and Measures	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	28.00
Bounty on Woodchucks	8.00
Health	204.88
Town Dump	261.90
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	24.00
Free Bed — Cape Cod Hospital	300.00
Public Welfare	502.27
Old Age Assistance	6,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,035.44
Old Age Assistance Federal Grant	5,349.20
Old Age Assistance Adm. Federal Grant	311.52
Aid to Dependent Children Federal Grant	432.52
Aid to Dependent Children Adm. Federal Grant	8.55
Soldier's Benefits	150.00
Highway General	486.61
Highway Chap. 81	8,063.00
Highway Chap. 90	1,055.25
Road Machinery A/C	197.69
Snow	855.68
School	18,806.42

School Milk	174.20
Public Library	214.65
Public Library Trust Fund	609.77
Interest	146.25
Old Cemeteries	93.00
Miscellaneous	148.63
Tax Title Account	342.49
Expense Selling Tax Possessions	136.89
Extension of Town Landing	992.51
Town Landing	262.45
Rationing Board	19.26
Town Reports	300.00
Insurance	393.81
Memorial Day	23.79
Community Christmas Tree	35.00
Old Windmill	48.65
Making and Erecting Signs	84.56
Recreation Center	82.60
Timothy Smith Fund Income	760.88
Timothy Smith Fund Loans	785.32
Timothy Smith Fund Gift	50.00
Timothy Smith Fund Bonds	11,000.00
Post War Rehabilitation Fund	275.00
Old Grist Windmill Fund	17.50
Town Hall Trust Fund	128.81
Christmas Tree Fund	17.63
Zara Higgins Cemetery Fund	4.00
State Tax	1,564.00
County Tax	5,392.72
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	520.64
State Parks and Reservations	28.84
State Audit	533.91
Real Estate	1.23
Dog Licenses	145.80
Total Payments	$82,441.42

REVENUE 1945

Appropriation	$48,935.00	Poll Tax Comm.	$ 406.08
State and County Taxes	7,811.83	Real and Personal Tax Comm.	36,431.99
Overestimate 1944	1.08	Estimated Receipts	20,496.64
Overlay 1944	592.91	Additional Taxes	6.89
Additional Taxes	.70	Dec. Commitment	14.97
	57,341.52	Appropriations Balances	2,885.21
To Surplus Revenue	4,885.89	Estimated Receipts	1,985.71
	$62,227.41		$62,227.41

Surplus Revenue (E. and D.)

Highway Chap. 90	$ 700.00	Balance	$25,440.62
Highway Chap. 81	5,375.00	Tax Title Redemption	674.52
War Bonds	2,000.00	Sale Tax Possession	2,176.00
Tax Titles	244.36	Highway Chap. 81	2,835.07
		Highway Chap. 90	700.00
	8,319.36		31,826.21
Surplus Revenue	28,392.74	Revenue	4,885.89
	$36,712.10		$36,712.10

CLASSIFICATION OF APPROPRIATIONS

Selectmen's Salaries

Maurice W. Wiley, Chairman	$500.00	Appropriation	$1,100.00
Geo. Howard	300.00		
E. D. Penniman	93.70		
Luther Smith	154.90		
	$1,048.60		
Balance to Revenue	51.40		
	$1,100.00		$1,100.00

Assessors' Salaries

Maurice W. Wiley	$300.00	Appropriation	$700.00
Geo. Howard	200.00		
E. D. Penniman	63.50		
Luther Smith	102.50		
	666.00		
Balance to Revenue	34.00		
	$700.00		$700.00

Board of Welfare Salaries

Maurice W. Wiley	$157.70	Appropriation	$800.00
George Howard	274.15		
E. D. Penniman	80.20		
Luther Smith	74.20		
	586.25		
Balance to Revenue	213.75		
	$800.00		$800.00

Salary Treasurer, Collector, Clerk

Leslie E. Chase	$2,000.00	Appropriation	$2,000.00

Accountant Salary and Expense

L. Isabelle Brackett	$500.00	Appropriation	$530.00
Printing Stationery, Postage	8.36		
Typing Expense	5.00		
Adding Machine ribbon	3.50		
	516.86		
Balance to Revenue	13.14		
	$530.00		$530.00

Moderator

Charles F. Atwood	$2.09	Appropriation	$25.00
Ralph A. Chase	22.91		
	$25.00		$25.00

Road Surveyor

Nathan A. Nickerson	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Constable

Harvey T. Moore	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Salary Secretary Finance Committee

Harry S. Young	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Janitor

Horace Moore	$1,400.00	Appropriation	$1,400.00

Officers' Travelling Expense

Selectmen's Expenses:			
M. W. Wiley	$17.54	Appropriation	$100.00
George Howard	27.46	Transferred from	
E. D. Penniman	25.49	Reserve	32.08
Luther Smith	.70		
Assessors:			
M. W. Wiley	20.68		
Geo. Howard	28.16		
Luther Smith	4.85		
Welfare:			
M. W. Wiley	1.58		
Geo. Howard	1.58		
Luther Smith	1.59		
Treasurer:			
L. E. Chase	2.10		
	$131.73		
Balance to Revenue	.35		
	$132.08		$132.08

Selectmen's and Assessors' Expense

Dues State and County Ass'n. (Assessors)	$ 6.00	Appropriation	$175.00
		Transferred from Reserve	30.00
Dues State and County Ass'n. (Selectmen)	9.00		
Telephone	.80		
Typing Expense	87.00		

Printing Stationery			
Postage	57.96		
Typewriter Overhaul	12.00		
	172.76		
Balance to Revenue	32.24		
	$205.00		$205.00

Assessors' Abstracts

Shirley B. Chase	$67.82	Appropriation	$75.00
Balance to Revenue	7.18		
	$75.00		

Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense

Adding Machine	$126.00	Appropriation	$350.00
Cash Drawer	35.00	Transferred from	
Desk and Chair	9.90	Reserve	175.00
Dues Town Clerk			
Association	3.00		
Dues Treasurer			
Association	2.00		
Typing Expense	21.30		
Use of Car	25.50		
Printing Stationery			
Postage	269.96		
Typewriter Overhaul	13.00		
Rent of Adding			
Machine	5.00		
Fees	10.50		
	521.16		
Balance to Revenue	3.84		
	$525.00		$525.00
Millard Tibbetts	$150.00	Appropriation	$150.00

Certification of Notes

Balance to Revenue	$10.00	Appropriation	$10.00

Surety on Bond

Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	$71.25	Appropriation	$100 00
Deputy Collector	5.00		
	76.25		
Balance to Revenue	23.75		
	$100.00		

Election and Registration

Printing	$20.20	Appropriation	$100.00
C. E. Walker	4.00		
May Atwood	4.00		
Abbott Knowles	5.00		
M. M. Wiley	15.00		
Geo. Howard	15.00		
Luther Smith	15.00		
L. E. Chase	10.00		
	88.20		
Balance to Revenue	11.80		
	$100.00		$100.00

Town Hall

Telephone	$79.92	Appropriation	$600.00
Lights	53.88	Refund	26.10
Fuel	258.03	Transferred from Reserve	149.14
Labor in Basement	190.95		
Concrete treatment, lumber for cellar	42.82		
Sand	2.50		

Labor on Heater	22.09		
Floor Dressing, Towels, etc.	73.97		
Boiler Inspection	5.00		
Repairing Flag	3.63		
Box Rent	2.00		
Two Flags	12.74		
Electric Clock	5.68		
Janitor's Supplies	21.62		
	774.83		
Balance to Revenue	.41		
	$775.24		$775.24

Police

Harvey T. Moore, Property Inspection	$75.00	Appropriation	$150.00
Walter F. Nickerson	8.00		
	83.00		
Balance to Revenue	67.00		
	$150.00		

Civilian Defense

Share of Control Center	$15.75	Appropriation	$100.00
Fire Siren (Electricity)	31.26		
	47.01		
Balance to Revenue	52.99		
	$100.00		

Moth Suppression

Labor and Trucks	$704.05	Appropriation	$800.00
Moth Notices	15.00		
Gas and Oil	5.63		
Supplies for Trucks	27.75		
	752.43		
Balance to Revenue	47.57		
	$800.00		

Tree Warden

Balance to Revenue	$20.00	Appropriation	$20.00

Suppression of Tent Caterpillars

Otto E. Nickerson	$25.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	25.00		
	$50.00		

Shellfish Protection

Shellfish Protection	$350.00	Appropriation	$500.00
Goss Print	12.85		
Making Signs	5.60		
	368.45		
Balance to Revenue	131.55		
	$500.00		

Shellfish Propagation

Oyster Seed	$21.00	Appropriation	$300.00
Quahaug Seed	78.75		
Use of Boat	2.00		
Planting Seeds	9.60		
	111.35		
Balance to Revenue	188.65		
	$300.00		

Clearing Sedge Grass

Balance to 1946	$150.00	Appropriation	$150.00

Prevention Town Fires

Orleans Fire Dept.	$ 82.00	Appropriation	$300.00
Labor on Fires	101.00		
	$183.00		
Bal. to Revenue	117.00		
	$300.00		

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Stanley Walker	$40.00	Appropriation	$40.00

Inspection of Wiring

Maurice Moore	$28.00	Appropriation	$30.00
Balance to Revenue	2.00		
	$30.00		

Bounty on Woodchucks

Bounty on Woodchucks	$22.00	Appropriation	$30.00
Balance to Revenue	8.00		
	$30.00		

Health

Well Child Conference	$ 25.00	Appropriation	$200.00
Medical Care	153.50	Transferred from Reserve	4.88
Carting Rubbish	3.00		
Expenses Attending Meeting	7.43		
M. W. Wiley	5.00		
Geo. Howard	5.00		
Luther Smith	5.00		
Tuberculin Patches	.95		
	$204.88		$204.88

Town Dump

Antone Escobar	$261.90	Appropriation	$300.00
Balance to Revenue	38.10		
	$300.00		

Inspection of Animals

Harry Collins	$40.00	Appropriation	$40.00

Dog Account

Walter F. Nickerson	$24.00	Appropriation	$20.00
Balance to Revenue	8.00	Transferred from Reserve	12.00
	$32.00		$32.00

Free Bed—Cape Cod Hospital

Cape Cod Hospital	$300.00	Appropriation	$300.00

Public Welfare

Town of Orleans	$480.00	Appropriation	$800.00
Groceries	22.27		
	502.27		
Balance to Revenue	297.73		
	$800.00		

Old Age Assistance

Cash Grants	$6,000.00	Appropriation	$6,000.00

Aid Dependent Children

Cash Grants	$1,035.44	Appropriation	$1,500.00
Balance to Revenue	464.56		
	$1,500.00		

Old Age Assistance Federal Grants

Town of Haverhill	$ 7.24	Grants	$5,639.43
Town of Wellfleet	74.00		
Cash Grants	5,267.96		
	5,349.20		
Balance to 1946	290.23		
	$5,639.43		

Old Age Assistance Adm. Federal Grants

Salary Board of Welfare	$171.35	Grants	$392.37
Desk, Chair	27.22		
Typewriter Ribbon	1.00		

Printing Stationery	
Postage	34.73
Checks	62.72
File Cabinet	14.50
	311.52
Balance to 1946	80.85
	$392.37

Aid Dependent Children Federal Grants

Cash Grants	$432.52	Grants	$820.31
Balance to 1946	387.79		
	$820.31		

Aid to Dependent Children Adm. Federal Grants

Envelopes	$6.00	Grants	$108.38
Geo. Howard	2.55		
	8.55		
Balance to 1946	99.83		
	$108.38		

Soldier's Benefits

Soldier Benefit	$150.00	Appropriation	$300.00
Balance to Revenue	150.00		
	$300.00		

Highway General

Labor and Truck	$447.90	Appropriation	$500.00
Gas, oil, greese	18.65		
Miscellaneous Supplies	19.22		
Welding	6.09		
	491.86		
Balance to Revenue	8.14		
	$500.00		

Highway Chap. 81

See Surveyor's Report		Appropriation	$2,688.00
Expenditures	$8,063.00	Transferred Available Funds	5,375.00
			$8,063.00

Highway Chap. 90

See Surveyor's Report		Appropriation	$350.00
Expenditures	$1,050.00	Transferred from Available Funds	700.00
			$1,050.00

Road Machinery Account

Machinery	$130.64	Transferred from Road Machinery Fund	$200.00
Labor	33.60		
Gas and Oil	33.45		
	197.69		
Balance to Revenue	2.31		
	$200.00		

Snow

Equipment	$175.00	Appropriation	$300.00
Labor and Trucks	680.68	Transferred from Reserve	565.68
	855.68		
Balance to Revenue	10.00		
	$865.68		$865.68

School

See Superintendent's Report		Appropriation	$18,802.00
		Refunds	10.65
Expenditures	$18,806.42		
Bal. to Revenue	6.23		
	$18,812.65		$18,812.65

Public Library

Librarian	$170.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Book	3.50	Refunded Dog Tax	114.65
Library Ass'n. Dues	1.00		
Printing Stationery Postage	18.00		
Insurance	22.15		
	$214.65		$214.65

Public Library Trust A/M

Librarian	$185.50	Balance	$167.80
Lights	10.00	Billings Fund	420.00
Windows, Cords, Paint	39.74	Gift	100.00
Labor	49.00		
Coal	18.41		
Books	270.14		

Magazines	34.85		
Printing Stationery			
Postage	2.13		
	609.77		
Balance to 1946	78.03		
	$687.80		$687.80

Interest

Interest	$146.25	Appropriation	$150.00
Balance to Revenue	3.75		
	$150.00		$150.00

Old Cemeteries

Labor	$93.00	Appropriation	$150.00
Balance to Revenue	57.00		
	$150.00		

Miscellaneous

Postage	$ 8.49	Appropriation	$125.00
Bounty on Seals	22.00	Transferred from	
Envelopes	25.00	Reserve	30.00
Binding Town Reports	3.64		
Perambulating Town			
Line	3.00		
Advertising	40.00		
Typing	13.00		
Folders—Veterans'			
Committee	6.90		
L. E. Chase,			
Recording Fees	20.10		

Bond Reimbursement	3.00		
Land Tracing	3.50		
	148.63		
Balance to Revenue	6.37		
	$155.00		$155.00

Tax Title Account

Dean Sears, Recordings	$139.81	Appropriation	$350.00
		Refund	.50
Notary Fees			
Leslie E. Chase	107.25		
Goss Print	38.40		
Marshall Pihl, Legal Service	35.60		
Postage	10.43		
Notary Fees	11.00		
	$342.49		
Balance to Revenue	8.01		
	$350.50		$350.50

Expense Selling Tax Possessions

Steel Tape	$7.50	Appropriation	$400.00
Typing	9.00		
Dean Sears, Recordings	21.44		
Maurice W. Wiley, Expense	93.70		
Notary Fees	5.25		
	136.89		
Balance to Revenue	263.11		
	$400.00		$400.00

Extension of Town Landing

Land taking	$900.00	Appropriation	$1,000.00
Surveying	79.85		
Dean Sears	9.77		
Revenue Stamps and Plan	2.89		
	992.51		
Balance to Revenue	7.49		
	$1,000.00		

Town Landing

Labor	$141.90	Appropriation	$300.00
Lumber	60.19		
Tarmac	37.93		
Lumber, Supplies for Raft	19.63		
Putting Raft in Water	2.80		
	262.45		
Balance to Revenue	37.55		
	$300.00		

Rationing Board

Telephone	$14.44	Appropriation	$60.00
Folders	2.50		
Typewriter Ribbon	1.50		
Dinners	2.87		
Postage	.95		
	19.26		
Balance to Revenue	40.74		
	$60.00		

Town Reports

Town Reports	$300.00	Appropriation	$300.00

Insurance

Insurance	$393.81	Appropriation	$500.00
Balance to Revenue	106.19		
	$500.00		

Finance Committee

Balance to Revenue	$10.00	Appropriation	$10.00

Memorial Day

Flags	$ 9.29	Appropriation	$70.00
Wreaths	14.50		
	23.79		
Balance to Revenue	46.21		
	$70.00		

Community Christmas Tree

Christmas Tree Expense	$35.00	Appropriation	$35.00

Old Windmill

Labor	$35.50	Appropriation	$200.00
Lumber	13.15		
	48.65		
Balance to Revenue	151.35		
	$200.00		

Making Erecting Signs

Lumber and Paint	$21.56	Appropriation	$150.00
Painting Signs	63.00		
	84.56		
Balance to Revenue	65.44		
	$150.00		

Recreation Center

Shuffle Board	$ 9.50	Appropriation	$100.00
Records	11.66	Refund	2.69
Refreshments, Favors, Supplies	61.44		
	82.60		
Balance to Revenue	20.09		
	$102.69		$102.69

Schoolhouse Note

Note	$1,000.00	Appropriate	$1,000.00

War Bonds

War Bonds	$2,000.00	From Surplus Revenue	$2,000.00

Reserve Fund

Transfers:			
Town Hall A/C	$149.14	Appropriation	$1,000.00
Dog A/C	12.00		
Miscellaneous	30.00		
Assessor and Selectmen's Exp.	30.00		

Officers' Travelling Expenses	32.08
Snow	565.68
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expenses	175.00
Health	4.88
	998.78
Balance to Revenue	1.22
	$1,000.00

Trust Funds

Balance Trust Funds Dec. 31, 1945	$52,238.01	World War Memorial Fund	$ 492.30
		Cemetery Trust Funds	232.79
		Town Hall Trust Fund	2,646.25
		Town Hall Income Fund	560.79
		Billings Library Fund	14,000.00
		Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	531.71
		Eastham Community Christmas Tree Fund	60.67
		Post War Rehabilitation Fund	12,403.76
		Timothy Smith Fund	21,309.74
	$52,238.01		$52,238.01

GENERAL REVENUE SUMMARY

Cash on Hand	$35,691.46	
Real Estate 1944	70.51	
Personal 1945	89.47	
Real Estate 1945	2,134.77	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1945	22.85	
Tax Titles	1,289.63	
Tax Possessions	3,095.60	
State Aid to Highways Chap. 81	2,539.93	
County Tax	269.57	
Schoolhouse Loan	6,000.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Revenue		22.85
Tax Title and Tax Possession Revenue		4,385.23
State Aid to Highway Revenue		2,539.93
Overlay 1944		633.67
Overlay 1945		184.95
Overlay Reserve		4,785.07
Tailings		122.15
Sale of Real Estate		2,396.91
Road Machinery Fund		644.00
Aid Dependent Children Federal Grant		387.79
Aid Dependent Children Adm. Federal Grant		99.83
Old Age Assistance Federal Grant		290.23
Old Age Assistance Adm. Federal Grant		80.85
Public Library Trust A/C		79.03
Clearing Sedge Grass		150.00
State Parks and Reservations		9.56
Schoolhouse Loan		6,000.00
		22,811.05
Surplus Revenue (E. and D.)		28,392.74
	$51,203.79	$51,203.79

Respectfully submitted,

L. ISABELLE BRACKETT,

Town Accountant.

Report of the Eastham Finance Committee

FOR THE YEAR OF 1945

The committee was duly organized February 13th, 1945, with Harry S. Young elected Chairman and Secretary.

Transfers were approved as follows:

Town Hall Account	$149.14	
Dog Account	12.00	
Miscellaneous Account	30.00	
Selectmen and Assessors Account	30.00	
Treasurer, Collector and Clerk Expense Account	175.00	
Officers' Traveling Expense Account	32.08	
Snow's Account	565.68	
Health Account	4.88	
Total	$998.78	
Reserve Account		$1,000.00
Transfers		998.78
Balance		$ 1.22

Respectfully Submitted,

Harold L. Arnold	Alfred L. Gill
Arthur E. Brown	Ralph L. Rogers
Henry O. Daniels	Oscar G. Pierce
Carl C. French	Emerson B. Wentworth

Harry S. Young
Chairman and Secretary.

CHAPTER 81

To Appropriation	$2,688.00	By Payment	$8,063.00
By State	5,375.00		
	$8,063.00		

Laborer's Wages	$2,335.55
Trucks and Operators	1,831.08
Grader and Operator	468.62
Tractor and Operator	10.68
Roller and Operator	46.00
Gravel Loader	135.00
Tar	1,064.46
Asphalt	2,124.79
Sand	36.25
Brooms	7.35
Axe and Files	3.22
	$8,063.00

CHAPTER 90

To Appropriation	$350.00	By Payment	$1,050.00
By State	350.00		
By County	350.00		
	$1,050.00		

Laborer's Wages	$171.50
Trucks and Operators	141.15
Grader and Operator	174.25

Roller and Operator	69.00
Gravel Loader	15.00
Asphalt	468.90
Sand	10.20
	$1,050.00

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN A. NICKERSON,

Highway Surveyor.

Librarian's Report

Number volumes catalogued	6,839
Number volumes added	160
Number volumes borrowed	4,870
Total fines received	$25.26

As usual we borrowed books from the Division of Public Libraries at Boston, for school use and for many borrowers.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. BLANCHE A. KEEFE,

Librarian.

Eastham War Price and Rationing Board Personnel

In Appreciation of Their Conscientious Service

PANEL	SERVICE
HARVEY T. MOORE, Chr.	
Tires, Gas, Rubber Boots, Shoes	Jan. 1942-Jan. 1944
GEORGE HOWARD	
Tires, Gas, Rubber Boots, Shoes	Jan. 1942-Jan. 1944
RALPH ROGERS, Chr.	
Tires, Gas, Rubber Boots, Shoes	Jan. 1942-Sept.
ANDREW MERRILL	
Replaced Harvey Moore	Jan. 1944-Sept. 1945
LUTHER P. SMITH	
Replaced George Howard	Jan. 1944-June 1945
LEWIS COLLINS	
Replaced Luther Smith	June 1945-Sept. 1945

Luther P. Smith, George Howard, Harvey T. Moore resigned because of political aspirations.

JENNIE SPARROW	
Fuel Oil, Stoves	1942-1945
HELEN CLARK	
Food, Sugar	1942-1945
REBECCA SHERMAN	
Fuel Oil, Stoves	1942-1945
VAUNIETA COLE	
Price Control	1942-1945
ANNE BROWNELL	
Community Service	1942-1945

Barnstable County Health Department

January 1, 1946

The regular work of the Barnstable County Health Department was carried on as usual for the year 1945.

The regular meetings of the Cape Cod Health Bureau Association and the Cape Cod Health Council were held twice during the year, in the spring and in the fall. The fall meeting was held at the Cape Cod Inn, as the Hyannis Inn was unable to do the work. The meetings were both very well attended by the boards of health of the county and others. At the meeting at the Cape Cod Inn, an unusual number were present, as a good many attended from the Southeastern District in general. The speakers at both meetings were very interesting, and it is believed that the meetings were enjoyed by all present. The next meeting will be in May, 1946.

All of the nurses on the Cape have been very active during the year, and all of the regular clinics have been held, including cancer, eye, ear and throat, crippled children, diphtheria, tuberculosis and well child conferences. The regular meetings of the nurses have been held during the year as always.

There has been a considerable amount of anterior poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) in the country during the year, and there were some cases in Barnstable County, but on the whole, we were fortunate in this matter. One case, an adult, died on the way to the hospital. Otherwise, the usual communicable diseases, only, have been found in the county.

The private water supplies appear to be in good condition at present, and no diseases resulted from the effects of the hurricane of last year as before stated.

The regular work of the department has been carried on. This includes, of course, the laboratory work, sanitary inspections, all investigations regarding conditions reported as insanitary, etc. The work has been assisted in every way at all times by all State, County and Town officials, and we extend our thanks to these officials for their constant support and cooperation.

Respectfully,

A. P. GOFF, M. D.

County Health Officer.

Report of Eastham Advisory Committee

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Veteran's Rehabilitation and Re-employment Committee

In the 1944 Year Book there was incorporated a comprehensive report of the history and purpose of this Committee, created in support of a State plan whereby veterans could obtain information and counsel which might help them in their efforts toward adjustment to civilian life.

During the past year the various federal State bureaus have compiled and issued to cities and towns substantial editions of literature and information—all designed to further aid men and women returned from service. Copies of this valuable and informative data on file at the Eastham Town Hall and are available to any and all interested persons.

Furthermore, the advisory committee, as established in accordance with the plan set forth in the 1944 book of reports continues ready to lend all guidance possible to Eastham men and women veterans.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE
RALPH A. CHASE
YNGVE RONGNER
ALFRED O. STOWELL
HARRY S. YOUNG, Chairman.

Report of Trustees, Timothy Smith Fund

The Trustees of the Timothy Smith Trust Fund are pleased to report that several young ladies have paid their loans back and others are paying theirs off. Also one young man has met his obligation.

They all expressed their gratitude in being able to borrow from such a fund and surely showed their gratitude by paying it back so that others may profit by it.

We wish several others felt the same way.

The following letter is from a young lady:

"Dear Sirs:

Enclosed please find a check for $138.00 which is, I believe, the balance of my debt to the fund. I wish to express again my sincere gratitude for the loan which made it possible to get my degree and is leading to more interesting things. On the 26th of November I shall be a civilian again. Yesterday I started my terminal leave.

Sincerely yours"

The past year $11,000.00 in War Bonds was purchased. Besides helping the country the Fund receives a higher rate of interest.

MAURICE W. WILEY
GEORGE HOWARD
LUTHER P. SMITH

Trustees, Timothy Smith Fund

Auditor's Report

September 13, 1945

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. Maurice W. Wiley, Chairman
Eastham, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Eastham for the period from October 1, 1944, to July 23, 1945, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL
Director of Accounts

Mr. Theodore N. Waddell
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Eastham for the period from October 1, 1944, the date of the previous audit, to July 23, 1945, the following report being submitted thereon:

The financial transactions, as shown on the books and records of the several departments receiving or disbursing

money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked with the records in the offices of the town treasurer and the town accountant.

The books and accounts in the town accountant's office were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were compared with the treasurer's books and with the books and records of the several departments in which charges originated or money was collected for the town. The recorded payments were checked with the treasury warrants and with the disbursements as shown by the books of the town treasurer. The appropriations and transfers as recorded on the accountant's books were checked and verified by comparison with the town clerk's records of financial votes passed by the town meeting and with the finance committee's authorization of transfers from the reserve fund.

The town accountant's ledger was analyzed, and after the necessary adjusting entries resulting from the audit were made, a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the town on July 23, 1945. This balance sheet indicates that the financial condition of the town is very good.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were analyzed and checked with the records in the several departments collecting money for the town, with other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, and with the books of the town accountant. The recorded payments were checked with the selectmen's warrants authorizing the disbursement of town funds and with the accountant's books. The cash balance on July 23, 1945, was verified by actual count of the cash in the office and by reconciliation of the bank balance with a statement furnished by the bank of deposit.

The payments on account of debt and interest were proved with the amounts falling due and were checked with the cancelled securities on file.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investment of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer were listed, the income and transfers to the town being verified.

Statements of income paid the town by the trustees and custodians of the Timothy Smith Fund, the Town Hall Fund, and the Billings Library Fund were compared with the town treasurer's record of receipts.

The records of the tax titles held by the town were examined and checked. The amounts added to the tax title account were compared with the collector's records, the recorded redemptions, foreclosures, and disclaimers were checked, and the tax titles on hand were listed, proved, and compared with the records in the Registry of Deeds.

The books and accounts of the tax collector were examined and checked in detail. The taxes and assessments outstanding according to the previous examination, as well as all subsequent commitments, were audited and checked with the assessors' warrants issued for their collection. The recorded collections were compared with the payments to the treasurer as shown by the treasurer's and the accountant's books; the abatements, as entered, were checked with the assessors' records of abatements granted; the taxes transferred to the tax title account were compared with the treasurer's and the accountant's records; and the outstanding accounts were listed and reconciled with the accountants's ledger accounts.

The records of departmental accounts receivable were examined and checked. The charges were analyzed, the recorded collections were checked with the payments to the treasurer, the abatements were verified, and the outstand-

ing accounts were listed and reconciled with the accountant's ledger accounts.

The outstanding tax, assessment, and departmental accounts were verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books and records as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The town clerk's records of dog and sporting licenses issued were checked, the payments to the treasurer were verified, and the payments to the State were compared with the receipts on file from the Division of Fisheries and Game.

The surety bonds of the town officials required by law to file them were examined and found to be in proper form.

The financial records of the selectmen, of the sealer of weights and measures, of the school and library departments, as well as of all other departments collecting money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked with the treasurer's cash receipts and with the records of the accountant.

There are appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet, tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the tax, assessments, tax title, and departmental accounts, together with tables showing the condition and transactions of the trust and investment funds.

For the co-operation extended by the town officials during the progress of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express my appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,

Assistant Director of Accounts.

TOWN OF EASTHAM

Balance Sheet—July 23, 1945

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets				Liabilities and Reserves			
Cash			$26,264.31	State Assessments			$1,092.95
Accounts Receivable:				County Tax			5,123.15
Taxes:				Tailings			119.45
Levy of 1944:				Proceeds of Dog Licenses—Due County			16.80
Personal Property	$20.25			Sale of Real Estate Fund			2,396.91
Real Estate	665.42			Road Machinery Fund			480.00
		$685.67		Library Trust Fund Income			447.07
Levy of 1945:				Federal Grants:			
Poll	10.00			Old Age Assistance.:			
Personal Property	2,609.39			Administration	$279.92		
Real Estate	22,402.12			Assistance	379.30		
		25,021.51				$659.22	
			25,707.18	Aid to Dependent Children:			
Special Assessments:				Administration	$97.60		
Moth 1944			2.00	Aid	213.11		
Tax Titles			1,302.86			310.71	
Tax Possessions			3,955.83				969.93
State and County Aid to Highways:				Unexpended Balances			26,796.56
Chapter 81		$5,375.00		Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus			4,785.07
Chapter 90		700.00		Overlays Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:			
			6,075.00	Levy of 1944		$685.67	
Estimated Receipts to be Collected			9,455.55	Levy of 1945		404.93	
							1,090.60

		Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
		Special Assessment	$ 2.00	
		Tax Title and Tax Possession	5,258.69	
		State and County Aid to Highways	6,075.00	
				11,335.69
		Surplus Revenue		18,108.55
	$72,762.73			$72,762.73

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$6,000.00	Schoolhouse Loan	$6,000.00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:		Timothy Smith Fund Income	$31,979.56
Cash and Securities:		Town Hall Fund Income	427.71
In Custody of Town Treasurer	$45,995.65	Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	531.65
		Eastham Community Christmas Tree Fund	77.91
		Eastham World War Memorial Fund	492.30
		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	235.48
		Post-War Rehabilitation Fund	12,251.04
	$45,995.65		$45,995.65

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND THE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

OF THE

Town of Eastham

FOR THE YEAR

1945

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Stanley M. Walker, Chairman	Term expires 1946
Katherine A. Moore, Secretary	Term expires 1948
Elizabeth F. Collins	Term expires 1947

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Charles H. Pratt, A. M.

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Walter Nickerson

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. A. P. Goff

SCHOOL NURSE

Mildred Wye

EASTHAM FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	Expended 1945		Needed 1946
General Control:			
School Committee, Salary and Expenses	$ 229.80		
Superintendent of Schools:			
Enforcement of Law—			
Salaries and Travel	659.32		
Office Expenses	6.55		
		$ 895.67	$ 910.00
Instruction:			
Supervisors	812.00		
Principal and Teachers	4,400.00		
Textbooks	26.86		
Supplies	77.91		
		5,316.77	6,074.00
Operation:			
Janitors			
Fuel	588.67		
Lights gas janitors' supplies, etc.	192.35		
		781.02	730.00
Maintenance:			
Repairs, replacement and upkeep	351.87		
		351.87	300.00

Auxiliary Agencies			
Health	1.51		
Libraries	72.16		
Transportation	3,600.00		
Tuition	4,945.88		
Lunch	2,621.53		
Graduation, Phone, Insurance, etc.	219.66		
		11,460.74	12,485.00
Outlay:			
New Grounds and Buildings			
New Equipment			
		$18,806.07	$20,499.00

Appropriated for 1945	$18,802.00
Refund	10.65
	$18,812.65
Expended in 1945	$18,806.07
Balance unexpended	$ 6.58

NET COST OF SCHOOLS, YEAR 1945

Total Expenditures			$18,806.07
Accounts Receivable:			
Mass. General School Fund Part I		$660.00	
City of Boston - Tuition	$635.32		
City of Boston Transportation	202.26		
		837.58	
Reimbursement for:			
High School Transportation		1,985.27	
Account of Supt. of Schools		220.31	
Federal Aid School Lunch		462.28	
Sales of School Lunch		723.18	
Receipts for Milk		174.20	
Telephone calls		.52	
Rent of School		5.00	
			5,068.34
Net cost of schools - 1945			$13,737.73

Report of The Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Eastham:

The Annual School Report for 1945 is submitted as follows:

The year 1945 has seen the end of hostilities in World War II and school membership has begun its numerical increase. The year 1944 marked a ten year low in membership. On October first of that year it was 44. On October first of 1935 the number was 99.

This has been a critical period for schools, homes and our country. No good citizen has escaped his increased responsibilities and obligations.

Eastham School has been very fortunate in being able to continue its program with three excellent teachers. There are just as many grades as there were when membership was larger. Each grade has been very efficiently taught by instructors who are interested in each pupil and sincerely earnest in having each day make its contribution in growth for all the boys and girls.

All of us felt a sense of deep regret last August when Mrs. Virginia Horton decided to terminate her leave of absence by resignation. Mrs. Horton has an enviable record as a teacher and good school citizen in her nineteen years of devoted work in the schools of Eastham.

I can most sincerely endorse the Eastham School as a place of education. Boys and girls who have attended it through the years are its best recommendation. Some of the things planned, taught and practiced in addition to what

is found in books are good healthy attitudes toward other people, respect of property and the understanding of values of good government. The rights and the duties of citizenship, a distinction between patriotism and "hatriotism" are among the most vital concepts for guidance of every citizen in the critical days with the crucial problems confronting us. Appreciation and support are due Mr. Nickerson and his assistants as they help boys and girls in their efforts to understand the world in which they live.

We were sorry to receive the resignation of Miss Eleanor Anifantis last August. She had completed three years of successful work as Supervisor of Vocal Music. The position has not been filled as of December 1945. Candidates adapted to this kind of work are very scarce. Sufficient time for careful discrimination has been felt to be more valuable than too hasty action. We hope the future may see the continuance of good vocal music.

The School Lunch has continued to prove its worth and receive support under the management of Mrs. Gertrude Moore. Federal Subsidy has been of great help in maintaining the quality and the original prices with minimum deficit. I believe that a good noon lunch is as helpful in its contribution to health and ability to learn as is transportation or any other expenditure for support of schools.

A report of the several departments follows:

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

By Otto E. Nickerson

There has been no change of note in our school during the past year. We do miss the contact of a vocal music instructor each week, but in all other departments everything is going very smoothly. An entering class of six in grade one

seems to show that our membership, so low last year, is really on the upward swing.

The Dental Clinic recently conducted by Dr. Kenney was most successful. Of the thirty-six children who took advantage of this time-proven opportunity, twelve, because of this careful yearly attention and constant care at home, needed only cleaning. In the two days taken by Dr. Kenney we feel that much was done toward a better and healthier year for our children.

INSTRUMENT MUSIC

By Thomas Nassi, Supervisor

Peace finds the majority of the country's schools trying to pick up the threads where they were left in 1941 and to continue from then. This is especially true in the music field. We on this part of the Cape have been fortunate in not having had this department interrupted. We have been able to advance in the face of difficulties, for example, the lack of wind instruments. We have been able to dig up old instruments, repair them and thus put them to use. We have hunted for instruments everywhere we could think of. On the other hand, we encouraged the study of stringed instruments which could be obtained with less difficulty. The result has been gratifying.

One rarely will find in the country in towns with the same or even larger school populations, instrumental organizations such as our own. Our school musicians are sought by the New England Festival Association and other music groups. Over 10% of the New England Orchestra will be our own musicians. Many New England communities are not represented in this orchestra because of a lack of good players. Our school orchestras, bands and small ensembles are participating in a great many civic affairs in their home towns and elsewhere.

The Lower Cape School Orchestra, composed of selected musicians from my district has rehearsed all summer. This Fall it gave five concerts and a broadcast. The response by the listeners was spontaneous and the contributions were very generous. This Orchestra will go to a Boston Symphony concert next March.

The aim of Mrs. Nassi and myself has been twofold. First, to give an opportunity of playing an instrument to all who desire and have an aptitude for music—secondly, to give special opportunties to those who have above average aptitude, ability and desire. The elementary and advanced orchestras and bands in each school take care of the first group. The Junior Community Band, Lower Cape School Symphony, the Cape Cod Philharmonic Society and the New England Festival Orchestra take care of the more advanced of our musicians.

The aptitude tests for each child begin in the first two grades with blackboard work of simple and advanced rhythm patterns. Later they apply this to their rhythm band groups. In the fourth grade we introduce the symphonet and with this they combine rhythm and tone. From the 5th grade on, the pupil chooses a regular orchestral or band instrument. As the pupils advance they become members of the aforesaid organizations.

The Eastham instrumental groups are as follows:

Orchestra—19 members Symphonet Class—4 members
Band—11 members Rhythm Band—8 members
Beginners Class—6 members

The Eastham Orchestra is an exceptional organization for a grade school. It participates in the several school concerts presented through the year. Mr. Nickerson is giving us his enthusiastic support and advice as always. This coupled with the cooperation of the other teachers, makes for a fine spirit and the results are exceptionally good.

ART

Margery C. Grier, Supervisor

After a year in the Union Schools I am pleased to report that we in the art classes do not feel that art is so much on the outside—just an extra thing. When really understood we know art is the concern of every human being and it is simply the question of doing things, anything well. The painter, Robert Henri, said, "When the artist is alive in any person, whatever his kind of work may be, he becomes an inventive, searching, daring, self-expressing creature. He disturbs, upsets, enlightens and he opens ways for a better understanding. When those who are not artists are trying to close the book, he opens it, shows there are more pages possible."

That is exactly what I am striving to bring out in the children in Eastham School within the limits of their weekly art periods, "inventive, searching, daring creative work." When such results are obtained in the lower grades the art work of the future junior and senior high school will reach high levels of endeavor. The more varied the interests in the upper classes the wider the understanding and consequent need of continued self-expression. Abundant materials: pencils, pastels, paints, crayons, inks, scissors and varieties of paper at the disposal of each pupil enable him to experience the joy of self-expression and ultimate achievement.

While we have art discussions in our high school classes where the student is encouraged to express his own opinion of art and what it means in the community, the children of Eastham are specially aware of their surroundings and community needs. It is particularly gratifying to see how quickly they respond to the beautiful country in which they live, and their interpretation of it on their classroom walls, in the lunchroom and assembly hall as proof of their fine appreciation of the meaning of such terms as form, color, composition, value, and line. Art to the children of Eastham is a very intimate affair.

HEALTH

By A. P. Goff, M.D. — County Health Officer

Work in the schools of Barnstable County for 1945 has been conducted as usual by the nurses, physicians, and all others, with the work having been carried on satisfactorily in all cases.

We were fortunate in having very little anterior poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) during the year. In one case only, a child was reported as having symptoms of this disease in school, and this school was closed for a short time. No other communicable disease has presented any unusual difficulty during the year.

All the regular clinics have been held throughout the county. The usual tuberculosis clinics have been held and the local doctors and nurses have aided in reading the tests as mentioned in the last report. Also, the usual dental clinics have been held by local dentists when possible, if not, by a visiting dentist.

The new apparatus for vision testing appears to have been entirely satisfactory.

The physical defects are corrected when possible and it is believed that the general condition of school children is improving.

The school work appears to have been conducted satisfactorily by all concerned, and every effort will be made to keep the work on a proper status for the coming year.

All district superintendents, school committees and others have co-operated in every way.

HEALTH

Report of Public Health Nurse, Mildred Wye

The public health nurse made 373 visits to Eastham during 1945 in attempting to carry out a program according

to the standards recommended. School nursing played an important role but home visiting to instruct parents in health measures was the major consideration.

Special emphasis was placed on the conduction of a Well Child Conference and its follow-up, case finding and provision for the care of children with orthopedic defects, communicable disease control through immunization clinics and contact tracing of tuberculosis.

As our first problem we list meager clinic facilities for the correction of remedial defects, and, secondly, transportation to clinics usually held in Hyannis. While we have no more gas rationing, cars and tires are still in poor condition. We have depended upon the Red Cross and Women's Defense Corps for most transportation.

From the school health records and our own observations we feel the health status of Eastham children is very good. No major defects have been uncorrected. All school children except one had dental care either by their own dentist or the school dental clinic. Some of the Eastham children have exceptionally good teeth, a number never having had any cavities. While there is a direct relation with heredity, nutrition and personal cleanliness, we expect in the near future to see if flourine exists in the drinking water. It is our hope that pre-school children may attend the dental clinic for care of their molars. This will be realized only when all of us, including the dentist, become public health minded. At the dental clinic held in the fall lay members volunteered their services by assisting the dentist, thus relieving the nurse for more urgent duties. At the two-day clinic 86 operations were performed, including 39 cleanings, 5 extractions and 42 fillings.

How to use the Massachusetts Vision Test equipment was demonstrated to all teachers. In the fall we discovered 5 more children in need of referral to an eye specialist.

While we secured one clinic with an eye specialist at which 9 children were found in need of glasses no further clinics have been possible. Some children need to return in six months and all should be retested in a year's time. At this rate one-third of Eastham school children should be wearing glasses.

The audiometer was used for all grades except one and two and all children had perfect hearing.

Two school children and two pre-school children had tonsil operations. The difficulty is in securing an appointment as the doctors and hospital are so busy. Besides this the children must be at the hospital by 7:00 A.M. which means a very early start from Eastham.

A number of children attend the orthopedic clinic held once a month through the State Department of Health, some having postural or foot defects. In conjunction with this instruction is given to children with speech defects by a special teacher, and it would seem that all school children with speech defects should be referred to this clinic for special training.

At toxoid clinics 35 children had "booster" doses and 17 others the regular series. Immunization is nearly 100% in Eastham.

Nine children were X-rayed at Cape Cod Hospital and five were accepted for summer health camp at Pocasset.

At the annual one-day Well Child Conference 23 were examined, no major defects being found.

Further statistics are as follows:

The 375 visits made to Eastham include:

9 to Antepartum cases
11 to Postpartum cases
45 to Infants
113 to Preschool children
106 to School children
17 to Orthopedic Cases
5 to Tuberculosis service
19 to Communicable disease cases
28 to School
13 to Officials in promotion of work
7 Ineffective

373 Total

Plans for next year include Home Nursing classes for the seventh and eighth grades if this is desired, and possibly some First Aid along with the other health work in the curriculum.

At this time we wish to thank all who have assisted us in our work, particularly Mr. Nickerson, Principal of the Eastham School.

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

October 1, 1945

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
1	3	3	6
2	2	1	3
3	1	3	4
4	4	3	7
5	6	4	10
6	1	5	6
7	4	1	5
8	3	5	8
Total	24	25	49

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP BY GRADES

1935 - 1945

Gr.	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
1	8	14	9	9	12	9	11	3	4	2	6
2	17	8	14	13	10	7	6	11	3	4	3
3	10	14	9	13	9	7	9	5	7	4	4
4	15	11	10	7	11	11	7	8	6	7	7
5	11	13	10	12	8	8	13	7	4	6	10
6	14	15	14	11	9	8	8	9	8	7	6
7	11	11	9	15	10	9	9	6	6	9	5
8	11	11	10	6	14	10	9	10	7	5	8
	97	97	85	86	83	69	72	59	45	44	49

EASTHAM STUDENTS WHO ATTEND ORLEANS HIGH SCHOOL

During period September 10, 1945 to December 21, 1945

Name	Grade
Jane Atwood	9
Carolyn Brownell	9
Paula Schwind	9
Lois Steele	9
Barbara Walker	9
Judith Brackett	10
Alice Doughty	10
Irene Eldredge	10
Jean Knowles	10
Robert Cross	10
Manuel Escobar	10
Robert Weston	10
Reginald Moulton	10
Norma Acorn	11
Leonard Brewer	11
Francis Brown	11
Maude Chase	11
Richard Clark	11
Kenelm Collins	11
Harry Hopkins	11
Patricia McMakin	11
Joseph Putnam	11
June Shakliks	11
Virginia Steele	11
Robert Wiles	11
Richard Prentice	11

Donald Brewer	12
Gordon Nickerson	12
Dorothea Benner	12
Ethel Harper	12
Teresa Stokes	12
Helen Stowe	12
Loretta Meunier	12

SCHOOL CENSUS

October 1, 1945

	Boys	Girls
Five years or over and under seven	4	3
Seven years or over and under fourteen	25	31
	29	34

Distribution of above minors

In public day school membership:	
Five years or over and under seven	6
Seven years or over and under fourteen	56
Not enrolled in any day school:	
Five years or over and under seven	1
	63

EASTHAM SCHOOL CALENDAR

The Annual Meeting of the faculty of all schools in this Union was held in the Eastham School at 9:30 A.M., Saturday, September 8, 1945. Following this the Eastham teachers organized their building for opening school on Monday, September 10.

School Opens	School Closes
September 10, 1945	December 21, 1945
January 2, 1946	February 15, 1946
February 25, 1946	April 12, 1946
April 22, 1946	June 19, 1946

School Holidays

Friday, October 12, 1945 — Columbus Day

Friday, October 26, 1945, Barnstable County Teachers' Institute.

Monday, November 12, 1945 — Armistice Day Sunday, November 11.

Thursday and Friday, November 22 and 23, 1945 — Thanksgiving Recess

Monday, December 31, 1945 and Tuesday, January 1, 1946 — New Years Recess

Friday, February 22, 1946 — Washington's Birthday (In vacation)

Friday, April 19, 1946 — Patriot's Day (In vacation)

Thursday and Friday, May 30 and 31, 1946 — Memorial Day Recess

Graduation Wednesday, June 19, 1946 7:30 P.M. at the School Auditorium.

Fall term will open Monday, September 9, 1946 at the usual hour. Faculty Meeting of the Union will be held on Saturday, September 7, 1946 at 9:30 A.M. at the Harwich High School.

CORPS OF TEACHERS, DECEMBER 1945

Name	School	Preparation	Date of Beginning Service	Experience Prior to Sept. 1945	Salary	Address
Otto E. Nickerson	Grammar	Hyannis Normal	1924	26 yrs.	$1900	Eastham
Catherine M. Skinner	Intermediate	Bridgewater Normal	1944	13 yrs.	1400	So. Chatham
Vesta Gould	Primary	Hyannis Normal	1943	10 yrs.	1400	Eastham
Thomas Nassi	Inst. Music	New Eng. Conservatory	1929	17 yrs.	550	Orleans
Margery C. Grier	Art	Washington Univ., St. Louis	1944	12 yrs.	190	Harwichport

Mrs. Virginia Horton began Eastham service in 1925 and terminated it by resignation in August 1945 after one year's leave of absence. Her period of service in Eastham—19 years.

Miss Eleanor Anifantis, Supervisor of Vocal Music, period of service Sept. 8, 1942 to June 30, 1945—3 years.

CLASS OF 1945

Graduation Exercises were held at the Eastham School

Wednesday, June 13, 1945

CLASS ROLL

Jane Forbes Atwood

Carolyn Rose Brownell

Paula Maynard Schwind

Lois Marjorie Steele

Barbara Ann Walker

COMPARATIVE FIGURES OF ARTICLE I

SALARIES:	Transfers from Reserve	1945	1946	Un. Exp. Balance
SALARIES:				
Moderator		$ 25.00	$ 25.00	
Road Surveyor		50.00	50.00	
Constable		50.00	50.00	
Secretary, Finance Committee		50.00	50.00	
Selectmen		1,100.00	1,100.00	51.40
Board of Welfare		800.00	800.00	213.75
Assessors		700.00	700.00	34.00
Town Clerk, Treas., Tax Col.		2,000.00	2,000.00	
Accountant		500.00	500.00	
EXPENSES:				
Selectmen and Assessors	$ 30.00	175.00	225.00	32.24
Accountant		30.00	30.00	13.14
Clerk, Treas. Tax Collector	175.00	350.00	400.00	3.84
Officers' Traveling Expenses		100.00	150.00	.32
Election Department		100.00	150.00	11.80
Surety on Bond		100.00	100.00	23.75
Assessors' Abstracts		75.00	75.00	7.18
Certificates of Notes		10.00	10.00	10.00
Legal Expense		150.00	150.00	
Janitor		1,400.00	1,500.00	
Town Hall	149.14	600.00	600.00	.41
Police		150.00	150.00	67.00
Prevention and Suppression of Fires		300.00	300.00	117.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures		40.00	40.00	
Inspection of Wiring		30.00	50.00	2.00
Moth Suppression		800.00	800.00	47.57
Tree Warden		20.00	100.00	20.00
Health	4.88	200.00	400.00	
Inspection of Animals		40.00	40.00	
Dog Account	12.00	20.00	20.00	8.00
Highway General		500.00	500.00	8.14
Snow	565.68	300.00	300.00	10.00
Public Welfare		800.00	700.00	297.73
Aid to Dependent Children		1,500.00	1,500.00	464.56
Old Age Assistance		6,000.00	7,500.00	
Soldier's Benefits		300.00	300.00	150.00
Schools		18,802.00	20,499.00	6.23
Tax Title		350.00	350.00	8.01
Town Landings		300.00	300.00	37.55
Memorial Day		70.00	70.00	46.21
Community Christmas Tree		35.00	50.00	
Town Reports		300.00	300.00	
Finance Committee		10.00	10.00	10.00
Insurance		500.00	475.00	106.19
Miscellaneous	30.00	125.00	125.00	
Reserve		1,000.00	1,000.00	1.22
Old Cemeteries		150.00	150.00	57.00
Interest		150.00	125.00	3.75
School House		1,000.00	1,000.00	
Town Dump		300.00	350.00	38.10
Ration Board		60.00		40.74
Civilian Defense		100.00		52.99
Youth Center		100.00	100.00	20.09
		$42,717.00	$46.269.00	$2,021.91

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Including Recommendations of the Eastham Finance Committee

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the 4th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles in this Warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in said Town at 12:00 noon on Tuesday, the 5th day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Polls to be opened at 12:00 noon and may be closed at 5:30 P. M.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report including Recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to defray departmental expenses for the ensuing year:

	Depts. Heads' and Finance Com. Recommendations
SALARIES:	
Moderator	$ 25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00
Selectmen	1,100.00
Board of Welfare	800.00
Assessors	700.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	2,000.00
Accountant	500.00
EXPENSES:	
Selectmen and Assessors	225.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	400.00
Officers' Travelling Expenses	150.00
Election Department	150.00
Surety on Bond	100.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Certificate of Notes	10.00
Legal Expenses	150.00
Janitor	1,500.00
Town Hall	600.00
Police	150.00
Prevention and Suppression of Fires	300.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	50.00
Moth Suppression	800.00
Tree Warden	100.00
Health	400.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	500.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	700.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	7,500.00
Soldier's Benefits	300.00
Schools	20,499.00
Tax Title	350.00
Town Landings	300.00
Memorial Day	70.00
Community Christmas Tree	50.00
Town Reports	300.00
Finance Committee	10.00
Insurance	475.00
Miscellaneous	125.00
Reserve	1,000.00
Old Cemeteries	150.00
Interest	125.00
School House	1,000.00
Town Dump	350.00
Youth Center	
	$46,269.00

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Recommend that one be elected. Unanimous vote.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommend that the refunded Dog Tax be made available to the Public Library. Unanimous vote.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of financial year beginning January 1, 1946, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Sec. 17, Chap. 44, G. L.

Recommend that the Treasurer be so authorized. Unanimous vote.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $300.00; $200.00 of the appropriation to be used for painting and repairs. Unanimous vote.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in

accordance with Chap. 111, Sec. 74, G. L., or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Reccomend the appropriation of $300.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of Shellfish or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend the appropriation of $400.00 for the following purposes: Constable's salary $100.00; shellfish protection, $100.00 and propagation, $200.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels, and any kind and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Sec. 52, Chap. 130, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses for private grants under the provisions of Sec. 57, Chap. 130, G. L., as amended by Chap. 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 10. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization to plant and close areas as provided for under the provisions of section 54, Chap. 130, G. L., as amended by the Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Sec. 56, G. L., as amended by Chap. 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote and an appropriation of $300.00 be made. Unanimous vote.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of fifty cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend an appropriation of $25.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1945 bills, under the provisions of Chap. 179, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote and appropriation be made if needed. Unanimous vote.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for the suppression of tent caterpillars under direction of local 4H Clubs Leaders, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote and the appropriation of $25.00 be made. Unanimous vote.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout for and extension of the Town Landing of Common Place the North side of Salt Pond, as made out by Selectmen to take by eminent domain, purchase or gift, said landing and vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote and the appropriation of $1,000.00 be made. Unanimous vote.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout for and extension of the Town Landing or Common Landing Place the Southeast side of Great Pond, as made out by the Selectmen and filed with the Town Clerk and to see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to take by eminent domain, purchase, or gift, said landing and vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote and the appropriation of $100.00 be made. Unanimous vote.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, and appoint a committee for the purpose of purchasing an Honor Roll for World War Two Veterans or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appointment of a committee of five by the moderator, two of the committee to be World War II Veterans. Unanimous vote.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the the action of the Town whereby it was voted to elect a shellfish constable, which is contrary to the provisions of Sec. 98, of Chap. 130, General Laws.

Recommend the passage of this article. Unanimous vote.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of dredging Rock Harbor Creek and building a piece of rip rap at the mouth of said creek in conjunction with the state Department of Public Works.

Do not recommend an appropriation. Unanimous vote.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Road Machinery Fund to the Road Machinery operation Account, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the transfer of $200.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of creating a stabilization fund under Chap. 124, Acts of 1945, or take any action relative thereto.

Do not recommend an appropriation. Unanimous vote.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing snow fences, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $250.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout of the Sunken Meadow Road as made out by the Selectmen and raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover expenses or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the Town so vote and appropriate the sum of $50.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chap. 90, Highways Construction, or take any action Relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $1,200.00 as the Town's share and $3,600.00 to be transferred from available funds to cover State's and County's shares which will be reimbursed to the Town later. Unanimous vote.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chap. 81, Highways, or take any other action thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $3,225.00 as the Town's share, and $6,450.00 to be transferred from available funds to cover the State's share which will be reimbursed to the Town later. Unanimous vote.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout of a Town Landing or Common Landing Place the North side of Jemima's pond as made out by the Selectmen and filed with the Town Clerk and to see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to take by eminent domain, purchase or gift, said landing and vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the Town so vote and the appropriation of $100.00.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for repairs on the old Wind Mill, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $200.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell the piece of land which was a Town Dump in So. Eastham, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 31. To see if the Town will so vote to appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the treasury the sum of $5,000.00 for the purchase and maintenance of fire apparatus, or do or act anything thereon. (By request.)

Recommend a committee of five to be appointed from the floor to bring in a detailed report at a future Town Meeting. Unanimous vote.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chap. 723, Acts of 1945, being an act to authorize the establishment and maintenance of municipal departments and of districts for furnished information, advice, and assistance to veterans of World War II, or other veterans.

Do not recommend acceptance of this Article. Unanimous vote.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to establish and maintain State-aided vocational education in accordance with the provisions of Chap. 74, General Laws and Acts amendatory thereto, or dependent thereon, and further raise and appropriate the amount of $350.00, therefore, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend appropriation of the sum of $350.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the free band concerts to be given by the Junior Community Band during the ensuing year, or do or act anything thereon. (By request.)

Recommend the appropriation of the sum of $150.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of paying the electric current bills on the air horn or take any action relative thereto. (By request.)

Recommend the appropriation of the sum of $60.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of maintaining street lights, or take any action relative thereto. (By request.)

Recommend a committee of three be appointed from the floor, to bring in a detailed report at a future Town Meeting.

Article 37. To see if the Town will accept the building regulations under 3, 4, and 5 of Chap. 143, of the General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the acceptance of this article. Unanimous vote.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to elect a planning Board of five members under Sec. 81A of Chap. 41 of the General Laws, at the next annual Town Meeting, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the acceptance of this article. Unanimous vote.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to properly celebrate the return of the men and women who served in or were affiliated or associated with the Armed Forces of the United States in World War II, under Chap. 1 of the Acts of 1946, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appointment of a committee of five by the moderator, two of the committee to be World War II Veterans. Unanimous vote.

Article 40. To see if the Town will adopt, the same to become effective from and after the annual Town Meetings in the year 1947 the following by-laws:

(1.) The Board of Selectmen shall have authority to promote, control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish within the Town of Eastham in accordance with Chap. 130, of the General Laws and acts in addition thereto, and amendment thereof.

(2.) The Board of Selectmen shall have authority to grant licenses to plant, grow, dig and take shellfish and to plant shells for catching seed within the Town of Eastham in accordance with Chap. 130 of the General Laws and acts in addition thereto and amendment thereof.

(3.) The Board of Selectmen of Eastham shall have authority to act exclusively in the exercise of all the rights, privileges and authority conferred by Section 56, with respect to such fisheries within the Town of Eastham, make appropriations as provided in Section 54, and exercise such other control, privileges and responsibilities as are granted in other sections of this Chap. pertinent thereto, as though such joint control or property did not exist, in accordance with Chap. 130, of the General Laws and acts in addition thereto and amendment.

Recommend the adoption of these by-laws. Unanimous vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham; at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham; at the Post Office in North Eastham, and at the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said Meeting as aforesaid. Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said Meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 21st day of January in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-six.

MAURICE W. WILEY
GEORGE HOWARD
LUTHER P. SMITH

Board of Selectmen.

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OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Eastham

FOR THE YEAR

1946

Annual Town Meeting in the Town Hall - February 3, 1947

Election of Officers - - - - - - - - February 4, 1947

TOWN OFFICERS

FOR THE YEAR 1946

Selectmen, Board of Health, Registrars of Voters

Maurice W. Wiley, Chairman	Term expires 1949
George Howard	Term expires 1947
Luther P. Smith	Term expires 1948

Board of Assessors

Luther P. Smith, Chairman	Term expires 1948
Maurice W. Wiley	Term expires 1949
George Howard	Term expires 1947

Board of Welfare

George Howard, Chairman	Term expires 1947
Maurice W. Wiley	Term expires 1949
Luther P. Smith	Term expires 1948

Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector and Registrar of Voters

Leslie E. Chase	Term expires 1947

Highway Surveyor

Nathan A. Nickerson	Term expires 1947

Trustees of the Public Library

Otto E .Nickerson, Chairman	Term expires 1949
Esther I. Gunn	Term expires 1947
Minnie W. Brewer	Term expires 1948

Moderator

Ralph A. Chase	Term expires 1947

School Committee

Katherine A. Moore, Chairman	Term expires 1948
Elizabeth F. Collins, Secretary	Term expires 1947
James K. B. Adamson	Term expires 1949

Constable

Harvey T. Moore	Term expires 1947

Tree Warden

John P. Grozier	Term expires 1947

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Town Accountant

Isabelle Brackett

Inspector of Animals and Slaughtering

Harry W. Collins

Moth Superintendent

Elmer W. Lloyd

Pound Keeper

Harry W. Collins

Field Drivers

Adin L. Gill Nathan C. Clark Harvey T. Moore

Custodian of Town Dump

Antone P. Escobar

Forest Fire Warden

Nathan A. Nickerson

Fire Chief

Nathan A. Nickerson

Shellfish Constable

Richard M. Sturtevant

Burial Agent

Herbert D. Nickerson

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Stanley M. Walker

Chief of Police

Maurice W. Wiley

Special Police

Walter A. Nickerson, Dep. Chief

Horace A. Moore
Alfred O. Stowell
Herman A. Dill
Leslie E. Chase
Charles S. Whiting
Winfred J. Knowles

Sanitary and Milk Inspectors

George F. Crocker
Ernest C. Eldredge, Assistant
Alton Robbins, Assistant (now retired)

Inspector of Wires

Maurice A. Moore
Ruben Hopkins

LIST OF JURORS

Prepared by the Board of Selectmen, in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 234, of the General Laws.

Name	Occupation	Residence
Andrew C. Merrill	Piano Tuner	Eastham
Alfred L. Gill	Merchant	Eastham
Albion F. Rich, Jr.	Caretaker	North Eastham
Wesley B. Moore	Carpenter	Eastham
James Schofield	Surveyor	Eastham
Herman A. Dill	Garage Owner	Eastham
Harold L. Arnold	Caretaker	North Eastham

MAURICE W. WILEY
GEORGE HOWARD
LUTHER P. SMITH
Selectmen of Eastham

To the Voters and Taxpayers of Eastham

Another year finds the Town in a growing and prosperous condition. It is hard to realize what will take place when building material becomes available.. With conditions as they are, about 35 buildings have been constructed. It is pleasant to know that the Town is keeping up with its growth as the following items show.

You will find the Fire Chief's first report. If you have not seen the new piece of fire apparatus you should stop and see it, and its new quarters.

There are not many towns that have as many town landings on the bay, pond and ocean as we have, for the benefit of our visitors and ourselves.

There are seven on the bay, four on the fresh water ponds, two on the ocean, and the town now owns 9/10 of the shore around the Salt Pond. The north side was given this year through the courtesy and generosity of the sons of the late Dr. Ed. P. Richardson.

Barrels for rubbish were placed at all the Town Landings last year and most people used them. It is hoped that the Bass fishermen who use our shores will not be quite so careless, but will bury their scrap fish near the bank so that the Selectmen will not have to take any hard measures. It is not very pleasant to be on a picnic with dead fish and large flies around you. It is at Nauset Light Beach where the offense occurs at its worst.

Be sure to attend election this year as a new Planning Board becomes a fact at that time.

Under Articles in the Warrant another MUST is being asked for—the Ambulance to be owned by Brewster, Orleans and Eastham. Anyone who has had experiences with the doctors and ambulances in the past years will not question the worthiness of this request.

The Town Hall is a very popular place as those connected with the Vocational School, Firemen's Association, Grange, Red Cross, and the Civic Center will testify. It will not be long before the building will have to be enlarged. The building is in good condition with the exception of the main south roof. There is enough in the Town Hall income fund to take care of this.

We believe it has worked out to everyone's satisfaction by keeping the dump open every day. In places like the Camp Ground Colony there should be garbage collections now. This is something the Town will soon have to take action on.

The Town is still getting along very well without a regular paid police force. Several investigations were made, auto accidents taken care of, etc., traffic work at the airport and band concerts and inspections of closed houses and cottages. There were no arrests to boast of. We believe that the courts are overburdened now with the cases which should not have gone that far.

There should be an Airport Committee appointed to work with the new Planning Board. As Eastham has a location that can be purchased very reasonably and the surrounding towns would be glad to come in on it jointly. The small private airport we now have is not the proper place for a commercial port.

If you will turn to the page of comparative figures you will notice that some items are higher and some are lower, but few changes.

The Town owned spray truck proved to be a success, not only as a spray truck, but as an auxiliary fire truck. Until the weather became cold the tank was always full and ready. See Moth Superintendent's report.

Under the Expense Accounts of the Town Officers there is "hiding" a full time clerk. For years the need has been there, but now it really is a necessity. The expense to the town would be small, after deducting what would be reimbursed under Old Age Assistance, and Aid to Dependent Children, the extra returns from sale of real estate, and the extra time the Town Officers could give to their many duties. Hope you will give this request much thought before Town Meeting.

Sorry to report no planting of any shellfish this year. We got promises and $300.00 from the State. This coming year we expect better results. You will notice under Receipts that a large sum was realized from the sale of shellfish permits. In fact 853 non-commercial were sold. Had hoped all the fishermen out of Rock Harbor would show their appreciation for the money Eastham put into dredging and purchase permits, as a few did—seven in fact.

At last, we can report that a white oak tree has been found that is large enough to make a shaft for the mill. Several people have been very helpful in trying to locate this shaft. We all realize what a blot on the landscape the old mill has been.

It probably could have been fixed with some kind of a stick. Very few people realize the workings of the mill and that very few kinds of woods can be used in this construction. White oak is the best, we have been told by people who know wood. In the summer when the mill is working there is a great strain on this shaft, also on the person in charge when a large group of visitors are around the mill.

There had to be two special town meetings called this year, the first for several years. Purchase of the fire apparatus and unforeseen expenditure called these. It was gratifying to see the turnout of voters at these meetings compared to the interest that voters in other towns took where special meeting were called.

Under an article in the Warrant you will find a request by the Selectmen to take some kind of action on some outstanding notes issued by the trustees of the Timothy Smith Loan Fund. Some of these are twenty-five years old. You will notice by the report that over seven thousand dollars are involved.

The officers are always ready to receive constructive as well as "destructive" criticism and we are glad to have you call on us any time. Do not wait until you have a chip on your shoulder.

Please bring your Town Report to Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE W. WILEY
GEORGE HOWARD
LUTHER P. SMITH

Board of Selectmen

Assessors' Report

Comparative Figures

Valuation of Town January 1, 1945		**1946**
Real Estate, Land	$402,200.00	$404,560.00
Real Estate, Buildings	937,380.00	969,410.00
Personal Estate	147,440.00	152,070.00
Real Estate, Land (Dec. Assessment)	610.00	9,800.00
Total Valuation	$1,487,630.00	$1,535,840.00

Taxes Assessed to December 31, 1945		**1946**
Levied on Real Estate	$32,819.71	$37,097.00
Levied on Personal Estate	3,612.28	4,105.00
Levied on Polls	406.00	420.00
Gained by Fractions	6.19	
Motor Vehicle Excise	749.68	1,067.53
Dec. Assessment	14.97	264.60
Rate of Taxation	24.50	27.00
Number of Polls Assessed	206	210
Number of Horses Assessed	5	5
Number of Cows Assessed	29	27
Number of Neat Cattle other than Cows Assessed	6	5
Number of Swine Assessed	1	1
Number of Fowl Assessed	1344	1413
Number of Goats Assessed	6	9
Acres of Land Assessed	6860.25	6921

Respectfully submitted,
LUTHER P. SMITH, Chairman
GEORGE HOWARD
MAURICE W. WILEY
Board of Assessors.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—EASTHAM 1946 RECAPITULATION

			Figures Used in Fixing Tax Rates:
A.	**CITY OR TOWN: Include all Appropriations Voted Since 1945 Tax Rate was Fixed, G. L. Chap. 59, 23,25**		
1.	Total Appropriations as certified by town clerk to be raised by Taxation, Chap. 41, 15A		$57,695.80
2.	Total appropriations voted to be taken from available funds:		
	a. In 1946		$20,351.88
B.	**STATE TAX & ASSESSMENTS:**		
1.	State Tax	$1,150.00	
2.	State Parks and Reservations	37.06	
3.	Cape Cod Mosquito Control, (Barnstable County Only	520.46	
4.	State Audit of Municipal Accounts	340.16	
5.			2,047.68
C.	**COUNTY: TAX & ASSESSMENTS:**		
1.	County Tax $4,929.02 Underestimated $269.57		5,198.59
	Overlay of Current Year		1,217.76
E.		**Gross Amount to be Raised**	$86,511.71
F.	**ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS**		
1.	Income Tax	$3,926.28	
2.	Corporation Taxes	2,068.55	
3.	Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	740.00	
4.	Licenses	641.81	
5.	Fines (Library)	30.00	
6.	Gasoline Tax under Acts of 1943, Chap. 569	3,045.82	
7.	Charities (other than Federal Grants for Aid Dependent Children)	1,500.00	
8.	Old Age Assistance (other than Federal Grants)	5,500.00	

9.	Old Age Tax, Meals, Chap. 64B, 10 G. L.	344.31	
10.	Schools, State and Boston	4,408.34	
11.	Interest on Taxes	175.00	
12.	Inspection of Animals	20.00	
13.	Reimbursement on Account of State owned Land	7.08	
14.	County Dog Officer	20.00	
15.	Amounts voted to be taken from available funds	22,451.88	
16.	Overestimated, (State Parks)	9.56	
	TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS		44,888.63
G.	**Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation on Polls and Property**		$41,623.08
H.	Number of Polls: 210 at $2.00 each Poll Tax	$ 420.00	
J.	Total Valuation: Personal Property $ 152,070 (Tax Rate	4,105.89	
	Real Estate 1,373,970 $27.00)	37,097.19	
K.	**TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON POLLS AND PROPERTY**		$41,623.08

Report on Sales of Tax Possession Lands

There have not been as many sales the past year as last year. There could have been many more. The reason is that under a new law the Town can put the lots through land court for a small fee. This fall we did not encourage buying because after the Town has taken this step the Town can increase the price asked for the land. This year we hope to take that step.

The surveying we had to have done is all charged against the sale of land this year.

There are several lots that are staked out that are now for sale. The profit may not look as large as it really is. There are houses being erected on some lots already.

As the Town survey is the "goose that is laying the golden eggs" (not egg), there is need of a clerk to help gather these and larger profits as already stated in the Selectmen's report.

Sale No.	Costs	Gain	Loss	Price	Acres
1.	$144.88	$249.12		$394.00	5.0
2.	73.57	76.43		150.00	.6
3.	25.70	74.30		100.00	.25
4	70.09	329.91		400.00	1.
5.	8.65	3.35		12.00	1/12
6.	19.00	81.00		100.00	3.9
7.	36.54		$1.54	35.00	4.
8.	55.11	194.89		250.00	.4
9.	7.15	12.85		20.00	2.5
10.	7.00	53.00		60.00	.3
11.	36.81	8.19		45.00	.25
	$484.50	$1083.04	$1.54	$1566.00	18.3

Sale No.	Costs	Gain	Loss	Price	Acres
Expense (See Account Report on Sale Tax Poss. Land)		420.67			
		662.37			
Loss		1.54			
Gain for the Year		$660.83			

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE W. WILEY
GEORGE HOWARD
LUTHER P. SMITH
Board of Selectmen

Report of Town Treasurer

RECEIPTS

January 1, 1946, balance in Treasury	$35,691.46
Receipts to December 31, 1946	87,415.00
	$123,106.46

PAYMENTS

Payments Warrants 1 to 1,101	$96,189.26
December 31, 1946 on deposit	26,555.57
December 31, 1946 on hand	361.63
	$123,106.46

SUMMARY TOTAL ASSETS

December 31, 1946 on deposit Cape Cod Trust Co.	$26,555.57
Cash and Checks on Hand	361.63
Invested Funds U. S. Government Bonds	12,000.00
	$38,917.19

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Treasurer.

Report of Collector of Taxes

DR.

Balance due Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	$ 70.51
Balance due Taxes of 1945 Real Estate	2,134.77
Balance due Taxes of 1945 Personal	89.47
Warrant Taxes of 1946 Personal	4,105.89
Warrant Taxes of 1945 Real Estate	37,361.79
Warrant Poll Taxes of 1946	420.00
Abatements after payment Taxes of 1946 Real Estate Fund	10.26
Abatements after payment Taxes of 1946 Poll Refund	4.00
	$44,196.69

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Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1944 Real Estate	$ 70.51
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1945 Real Estate	2,089.65
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1945 Personal	89.47
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1946 Real Estate	35,194.38
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1946 Personal	4,026.54
Paid Treasurer Taxes of 1946 Poll	262.00
Abatement Taxes of 1945 Real Estate	16.92
Abatement Taxes of 1946 Real Estate	291.82
Abatement Taxes of 1946 Personal	14.31
Abatement Taxes of 1946 Poll	162.00
Tax Titles of 1945	28.20
Tax Titles of 1946	106.65
Uncollected Taxes of 1946 Real Estate	1,779.20
Uncollected Taxes of 1946 Personal	65.04
	$44,196.69

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE

DR.

Balance due Excise of 1945	$ 22.85
Warrants Excise of 1946	1,063.18
	$1,086.03

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Paid Treasurer Excise of 1945	$ 20.85
Paid Treasurer Excise of 1946	1,000.27
Abatement Excise of 1945	2.00
Abatement Excise of 1946	3.25
Uncollected Excise of 1946	59.66
	$1,086.03

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,

Collector of Taxes

Report of Custodian of Trust Funds

MUNICIPAL TRUST FUNDS

Timothy Smith Fund

Income

Receipts

January 1, 1946	$13,687.44
Income April Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co.	390.26
Income October Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co.	413.54
Interest Wellfleet Savings Bank	259.12
Interest Cape Cod Trust Co.	6.96
Interest U. S. Government Bonds	275.00
Loans Repaid	164.21
Interest on Loans	19.28
	$15,215.81

Payments

Library	$ 100.00
Balance on deposit December 31, 1946	15,115.81
	$15,215.81

Loans prior to 1946	$7,622.30
Loans 1946	None

Summary

Cash on deposit	$15,115.81
Investment U. S. War Bonds	11,000.00
Loans	7,622.00
	$33,737.81

BILLINGS LIBRARY FUND

January 1, 1946 In Trust	$14,000.00
Income January	210.00
Income July	210.00
	$14,420.00
Deposited in Town Funds of Support of Library	420.00
December 31, 1946 In Trust	14,000.00
	$14,420.00

TOWN HALL INCOME FUND

January 1, 1946 On Deposit	$560.79
Interest April	5.39
Interest October	5.32
October 16 Deposit	40.88
	$612.38
Withdrawn	$ 33.65
December 31, 1946	578.73
	$612.38

OLD GRIST MILL OPERATING FUND

January 1, 1946 On Deposit	$6.55
Interest April	.06
Interest October	.06
	$6.67

No withdrawals from this account in 1946.

OLD WIND GRIST MILL FUND

January 1, 1946 On deposit	$525.06
Interest January	5.25
Interest July	5.30
	$535.61

No withdrawals from this account in 1946.

EASTHAM WORLD WAR MEMORIAL FUND

January 1, 1946 On deposit	$492.30
Interest January	4.92
Interest July	4.97
	$502.19

No withdrawals from this account in 1946.

EASTHAM COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE FUND

January 1, 1946 On deposit	$60.67
Interest June	.30
Interest December	.30
	$61.27

Payments

Withdrawn	$24.51
December 31, 1946 Balance on deposit	36.76
	$61.27

POST WAR REHABILITATION FUND

January 1, 1946 On deposit	$403.76
March 16, Deposited	150.00
Interest April	4.03
August19, Deposited	125.00
September 16, Deposited	25.00
Interest December	5.78
	$713.57

No withdrawals from this account in 1946.

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Perpetual Care

Zara Higgins Fund

January 1, 1946 On deposit	$128.54
Interest January	1.28
Interest July	1.29
	$131.11
December 31, Withdrawal in Transit	
Received Jan. 3, 1947	4.00
December 31, Balance on Deposit	127.11
	$131.11

Frank O. Daniels Fund

January 1, 1946 On deposit	$52.13
Interest January	.52
Interest July	.52
	$53.17

No withdrawals from this account in 1946.

Mercy A. Mines Fund

January 1, 1946	On deposit	$52.12
Interest January		.52
Interest July		.52
		$53.16

No withdrawals from this account in 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE

Treasurer

Report of Town Clerk

DOGS LICENSED IN 1946

35 Male Dogs	@ $2.00	$70.00	
6 Female Dogs	@ 5.00	30.00	
23 Spayed Females	@ 2.00	46.00	
			$146.00

Fees Retained by Clerk—64 @ .20	12.80	
May 31 Paid County Treasurer	101.40	
Nov. 30 Paid County Treasurer	31.80	
		$146.00

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Division of Fisheries and Game

		Total	Fees	Paid Div. of F. & G.
63 Resident Fishing Licenses	@ $2.00	$126.00	$15.75	$110.25
99 Resident Hunting Licenses	@ 2.00	198.00	24.75	173.25
38 Resident Sporting Licenses	@ 3.25	123.50	9.50	114.00
23 Women, Minors Fishing Licenses	@ 1.25	28.75	5.75	23.00
6 Resident Trappers Licenses	@ 5.25	31.50	1.50	30.00
27 Non-Resident 3 Day Fishing Licenses	@ 1.50	40.50	6.75	33.75
1 Non-Resident Minor Fishing License	@ 2.25	2.25	.25	2.00
6 Non-Resident Citizen Fishing Licenses	@ 5.25	31.50	1.50	30.00
1 Non-Resident Citizen Hunting License	@ 10.25	10.25	.25	10.00
1 Duplicate License	@ .50	.50		.50
8 Resident Citizens Sporting and Trapping Licenses	No Fee			
12 Resident Military or Naval Sporting Licenses	No Fee			
		$592.75	$66.00	$526.75

BIRTHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1946

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Jan. 31	Burt Wallace Whiting	Edward Wallace Whiting	Frances Ann Newcomb
April 29	Cheryl Nickerson	Nathan Atwood Nickerson, Jr.	Helen Evelyn Baker
May 1	Norma Tamson Rice	Nie William Rice	Norma Francenia Nickerson
July 9	Michael Joseph King	Joseph Alberton King	Aurore Viola Dorion
July 28	Charles Bruce Campbell	Charles Newton Campbell	Margaret Jean Milliken
Aug. 1	Cheryl Ann McMakin	Charles Wilbur McMakin	Dorothy Agnes Terry
Aug. 9	Leonard Bruce Carron	Charles Leo Carron	Helen Sarah Barrett
Aug. 20	Lawrence Thorp Baker	Lawrence A. Baker	Patricia L. Poole
Sept. 29	Leslee Bea Moore	Wesley Bertram Moore	Margaret Marie McGinn
Oct. 22	Pamela Loretta Bernard	Albert Joseph Bernard	Alice Alphonsine Meunier
Oct. 11	Cheryl Karlene Weber	Nathan Munroe Weber	Barbara Ann Sibley

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1946

Feb. 28	Albion Freeman Rich	Eastham, Mass.
	Margaret Florence Johnston	Providence, R. I.
Nov. 9	Raymond F. LaFleur	Eastham, Mass.
	Marjorie E. Moulton	Eastham, Mass.
Apr. 21	Attilio Regatti	Newburg, N. Y.
	Mary P. Escobar	Eastham, Mass.
June 1	Romeo Boilard	Orleans, Mass.
	Muriel C. (Penniman) Todd	Eastham, Mass.
July 21	Ellsworth E. Brown	Orleans, Mass.
	Ethel May Harper	Eastham, Mass.
Aug. 4	John Curtis Curtin	Eastham, Mass.
	Lila May (Ellis) Alexander	Barnstable, Mass.
Aug. 18	Charles T. Fife Jr.	Eastham, Mass.
	Carolyn Jennet Lynch	Fostoria, Ohio
Aug. 26	Charles Edward Glass	Evan's Mills. N. Y.
	Evenlyn (Comstock) Lefebvre	Evan's Mills. N. Y.
Oct. 6	Donald Baine Teague	Sevreaville, Tenn.
	Carolyn Moore	Eastham, Mass.
Oct. 13	Robert W. Hayes	Eastham, Mass.
	Dorothy Jean Williams	Brewster, Mass.
Nov. 1	Daniel W. Sparrow Jr.	Eastham, Mass.
	Leonora Richardson	Orleans, Mass.
Nov. 29	John Hopkins	Eastham, Mass.
	Lottie I. (Wixon) Dalrymple	Wellfleet, Mass.
Dec. 21	William F. McMakin	Eastham, Mass.
	Ruth E. (Bittenbender) Waig	Eastham, Mass.

DEATHS RECORDED IN EASTHAM IN 1946

		Yrs.	Mo.	Da.
Jan. 22	Oscar Southward	74		12
Feb. 17	Rosa Abigail (Holmes) Brackett	82	11	23
Mar. 8	Helen Augusta Currier	102	2	22
Mar. 12	Warren Albert Mayo	76	3	1
Mar. 31	Cora Ellen Fletcher	85	1	26
Apr. 18	Fred Francis Dill	70	0	0
Apr. 28	Lydia Rowena Peckham	88	10	26
June 3	Rachel Louise (Sicard) Hopkins	79	5	21
July 19	Harold Alvin Gould	58	0	17
Aug. 23	Frank Chipman Wood	65	1	11
Aug. 27	Marion Helena Sargent	55	6	10
Sept. 5	Electa (Higley) Johnston	69	0	28
Oct. 5	Margaret Bonnett(Cowdry) White	83	3	8
Oct. 15	George Herbert Carlisle	76	1	6
Nov. 6	Augustine Francis Baumgarten	63	10	19
Nov. 11	Alvin Lewis Freeman	84	1	23
Nov. 14	George Pearson Brackett	83	7	18
Nov. 19	Nancy King (Varnum) Eldredge	75	7	21
Nov. 29	Harry Edwin Luther Walters	58	6	1

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Including Recommendations of the Eastham Finance Committee

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the 4th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles in this Warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in said Town at 12:00 noon on Tuesday, the 5th day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary Town Officers.

Polls to be opened at 12:00 noon and may be closed at 5:30 P.M.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report including Recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to defray departmental expenses for the ensuing year:

	Depts. Heads and Finance Committee Recommendations
SALARIES:	
Moderator	$ 25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary, Finance Committee	50.00

Selectmen	1,100.00
Board of Welfare	800.00
Assessors	700.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	2,000.00
Accountant	500.00

EXPENSES:

Selectmen and Assessors	225.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	400.00
Officers' Travelling Expenses	150.00
Election Department	150.00
Surety on Bond	100.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Certificate of Notes	10.00
Legal Expenses	150.00
Janitor	1,500.00
Town Hall	600.00
Police	150.00
Prevention and Suppression of Fires	300.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	50.00
Moth Suppression	800.00
Tree Warden	100.00
Health	400.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	500.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	700.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	7,500.00
Soldier's Benefits	300.00
Schools	20,499.00
Tax Title	350.00
Town Landings	300.00
Memorial Day	70.00

Community Christmas Tree	50.00	
Town Reports	300.00	
Finance Committee	10.00	
Insurance	475.00	
Miscellaneous	125.00	
Reserve	1,000.00	
Old Cemeteries	150.00	
Interest	125.00	
School House	1,000.00	
Town Dump	350.00	
Youth Center	100.00	
		$46,269.00

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Recommend that one be elected. Unanimous vote.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommended that the refunded Dog Tax be made available to the Public Library. Unanimous vote.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of financial year beginning January 1, 1946, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Sec. 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Recommended that the Treasurer be so authorized. Unanimous vote.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended the appropriation of $300.00; $200.00 of the appropriation to be used for painting and repairs. Unanimous vote.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, General Laws, or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend the appropriation of $300.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of Shellfish or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend the appropriation of $400.00 for the following purposes: Constable's salary $100.00; shellfish protection, $100.00 and propagation, $200.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels, and any kind and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 52, Chapter 130, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses for private grants under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 10. To see if the Town will invest the Selectmen with the authorization to plant and close areas as provided for under the provisions of Section 54, Chapter 130, General Laws, as amended by the Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by Section 56, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote and an appropriation of $300.00 be made. Unanimous vote.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of fifty cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend an appropriation of $25.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1945 bills, under the provisions of Chapter 179, Acts of 1941.

Recommend that the Town so vote and appropriation be made if needed. Unanimous vote.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for the suppression of tent caterpillars under direction of local 4H Club Leaders, or take any action relative thereto.

Recomend that the Town so vote and the appropriation of $25.00 be made. Unanimous vote.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout for and extension of the Town Landing of Common Place the North side of Salt Pond, as made out by Selectmen to take by eminent domain, purchase or gift, said landing and vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend that the Town so vote and the appropriation of $1,000.00 be made. Unanimous vote.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout for and extension of the Town Landing or Common Landing Place the Southeast side of Great Pond, as made out by the Selectmen and filed with the Town Clerk and to see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to take by eminent domain, purchase, or gift, said landing and vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take action relative thereto.

Recomend that the Town so vote and the appropriation of $100.00 be made. Unanimous vote.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, and appoint a committee for the purpose of purchasing an Honor Roll for World War II Veterans or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appointment of a committee of five by the moderator, two of the committee to be World War II Veterans. Unanimous vote.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action of the Town whereby it was voted to elect a shellfish constable, which is contrary to the provisions of Section 98, of Chapter 130, General Laws.

Recommend the passage of this article. Unanimous vote.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of dredging Rock Harbor Creek and building a piece of rip rap at the mouth of said creek in conjunction with the State Department of Public Works.

Do not recommend an appropriation. Unanimous vote.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Road Machinery Fund to the Road Machinery Operation Account, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the transfer of $200.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of creating a stabilization fund under Chapter 124, Acts of 1945, or take any action relative thereto.

Do not recommend an appropriation. Unanimous vote.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing snow fences, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $250.00. Unanimous vote

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout of Sunken Meadow Road as made out by the Selectmen and raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover expenses or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the Town so vote and appropriate the sum of $50.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 90, Highways Construction, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $1,200.00 as the Town's share and $3,600.00 to be transferred from available funds to cover State's and County's shares which will be reimbursed to the Town later. Unanimous vote.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 81, Highways, or take any other action thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $3,225.00 as the Town's share, and $6,450.00 to be transferred from available funds to cover the State's share which will be reimbursed to the Town later. Unanimous vote.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout of a Town Landing or Common Landing Place the north side of Jemima's pond as made out by the Selectmen and filed with the Town Clerk and to see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to take by eminent domain, purchase or gift, said landing and vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the Town so vote and the appropriation of $100.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for repairs on the Old Wind Mill, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $200.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell the piece of land which was a Town Dump in South Eastham, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the Town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 31. To see if the Town will so vote to appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the treasury the sum of $5,000.00 for the purchase and maintenance of fire apparatus, or do or act anything thereon. (By request).

Recommend a committee of five to be appointed from the floor to bring in a detailed report at a future Town Meeting. Unanimous vote.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 723, Acts of 1945, being an act to authorize the establishment and maintenance of municipal departments and of districts for furnished information, advice and assistance to veterans of World War II, or other veterans.

Do not recommend acceptance of this Article. Unanimous vote.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to establish and maintain State aided vocational education in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 74, General Laws and Acts amendatory thereto, or dependent thereon, and further raise and appropriate the amount of $350.00 therefore, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend appropriation of the sum of $350.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the band concerts to be given by the Junior Community Band during the ensuing year, or do or act anything thereon. (By request.)

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of paying the electric current bills on the air horn or take any action relative thereto. (By request.)

Recommend the appropriation of the sum of $60.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of maintaining street lights, or take any action relative thereto. (By request.)

Recommend a committee of three be appointed from the floor, to bring in a detailed report at a future Town Meeting. Unanimous vote.

Article 37. To see if the Town will accept the building regulations under 3, 4 and 5 of Chapter 143, of the General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the acceptance of this article. Unanimous vote.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Planning Board of five members under Section 81A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, at the next annual Town Meeting, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the acceptance of this article. Unanimous vote.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to properly celebrate the return of the men and women who served in or were affiliated or associated with the Armed Forces of the United States in World War II, under Chapter I of the Acts of 1946, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appointment of a committee of five by the moderator, two of the committee to be World War II Veterans. Unanimous vote.

Article 40. To see if the Town will adopt, the same to become effective from and after the annual Town Meetings in the year 1947 the following by-laws:

(1) The Board of Selectmen shall have authority to promote, control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish within the Town of Eastham in accordance with Chapter 130, of the General Laws and acts in addition thereto, and amendment thereof.

(2) The Board of Selectmen shall have authority to grant licenses to plant, grow, dig and take shellfish and to plant shells for catching seed within the Town of Eastham in accordance with Chapter 130 of the General Laws and acts in addition thereto and amendment thereof.

(3) The Board of Selectmen of Eastham shall have authority to act exclusively in the exercise of all the rights, privileges and authority conferred by Section 56, with respect to such fisheries within the Town of Eastham, make appropriations as provided in Section 54, and exercise such other control, privileges and responsibilities as are granted in other sections of this Chapter pertinent thereto, as though such joint control or property did not exist, in accordance with Chapter 130, of the General Laws and acts in addition thereto and amendment.

Recommend the adoption of these by-laws. Unanimous vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham; at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham; at the Post Office in North Eastham, and at the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said Meeting as aforesaid. Hereof

fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said Meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 21st day of January in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-six.

MAURICE W. WILEY
GEORGE HOWARD
LUTHER P. SMITH
Board of Selectmen

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING FEBRUARY 4, 1946

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant this meeting was called to order at 10 o'clock A. M. by the Moderator, call of meeting read and reading of warrant waived, return of officers read. Mrs. Minnie W. Brewer and Mrs. Helen G. Clark appointed tellers and sworn by the Town Clerk.

At this time the Moderator requested the assembly to rise and bow their heads for one minute in reverend tribute to the memory of Mr. Edward L. Penniman, in recognition of his long and faithful service as an able Selectman and town officer.

Article 1. Voted unanimously to accept the budget as printed.

Dept Heads' and Finance Commmittee Recommendations:

Salaries

Moderator	$25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary Finance Committee	50.00

Selectmen	1,100.00
Board of Welfare	800.00
Assessors	700.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	2,000.00
Acccountant	500.00

Expenses

Selectmen and Assessors	225.00
Accountant	30.00
Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector	400.00
Officers' Travelling Expenses	150.00
Election Department	150.00
Surety on Bond	100.00
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Certificate of Notes	10.00
Legal Expenses	150.00
Janitor	1,500.00
Town Hall	600.00
Police	150.00
Prevention and Suppression of Fires	300.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	50.00
Moth Suppression	800.00
Tree Warden	100.00
Health	400.00
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Highway General	500.00
Snow	300.00
Public Welfare	700.00
Aid to Dependent Children	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	7,500.00
Soldier's Benefits	300.00
Schools	20,499.00
Tax Title	350.00
Town Landings	300.00
Memorial Day	70.00

Community Christmas Tree	50.00	
Town Reports	300.00	
Finance Committee	10.00	
Insurance	475.00	
Miscellaneous	125.00	
Reserve	1,000.00	
Old Cemeteries	150.00	
Interest	125.00	
School House	1,000.00	
Town Dump	350.00	
Youth Center	100.00	
		$46,269.00

Article 2. Voted to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service. Elected Joseph H. Putnam, Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. Voted that the Refunded Dog Tax be made available to the Public Library.

Article 4. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1946, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 5. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the Public Library, $200.00 of which is to be used for painting and repairs.

Article 6. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment.

Article 7. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00 for shellfish purposes, apportioned as follows: Constable $100.00, protection $100.00 and propagation $200.00.

Article 8. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to control, regulate and Prohibit the taking of eels, and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, as provided for under the provisions of Section 52, Chapter 598 Acts of 1941.

Article 9. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to issue licenses for private grants under the provisions of Section 57, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by Chapter 598, Acts of 1941.

Article 10. Voted to invest the Selectmen with the authorization to plant and close areas as provided for under the provisions of Section 54, Chapter 130, General Laws as amended by the Acts of 1941.

Article 11. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to act exclusively as provided by 56 General Laws as amended by 598 Acts of 1941.

Article 12. Voted to instruct the Selectmen to continue to make a charge on all shellfish permits issued.

Article 13. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the Town under Tax Title procedure, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for this purpose.

Article 14. Voted to pay a bounty of 50 cents for each woodchuck killed within the town boundaries and to raise and appropriate the sum of $25.00 for this purpose.

Article 15. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $106.80 for the payment of 1945 bills.

Article 16. Voted to raise and oppropriate the sum of $50.00 for the suppression of tent caterpillars, the expenditure of this money to be under the direction of the Local 4-H Club Leader.

Article 17. Voted that the Town of Eastham accept an extension of the Town Landing on the North side of the Salt Pond in Eastham, with the boundaries and measurements as reported by the Selectmen under date of January 28, 1946, and authorize and instruct the Selectmen of the said Town of Eastham to acquire by gift, purchase or eminent domain under Chapter 79, Section 1, and any other chapter or section thereof pertaining thereto, in behalf of the Town of Eastham the land therein taken within the lines of said layout for said Town Landing in fee, and for this purpose vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $1,000.00. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for this purpose. Unanimous vote.

Article 18. Voted that the Town of Eastham accept an extension of the Town Landing on the South side of the Great Pond in said Eastham, with the boundaries and measurements as reported by the Selectmen under the date of January 19, 1946 and authorize and instruct the Selectmen of said Town of Eastham to acquire by gift, purchase or eminent domain under Chapter 88, Section 14 of the General Laws of Massachusetts and Chapter 79, Section 1, and any other chapter or section thereof pertaining thereto, in behalf of the Town of Eastham the land or the interest in the land therein taken within the lines of said layout for said Town Landing in fee, and for this purpose vote to raise and apppropriate a sum not exceeding one hundred ($100.00) dollars. Voted to appropriate the sum of $100.00 for this purpose. Unanimous vote.

Article 19. Voted to appoint a committee of five, two of which shall be veterans of World War II, to consider and investigate regarding a permanent honor roll for those men and women who served in the Armed Forces in World War II. Committee to be appointed by the Moderator. Committee appointed: Wesley B. Moore, Winford L. Schofield, Harvey T. Moore, Harry S. Young and Joseph A. King.

Article 20. Voted to rescind the vote whereby the Town voted to elect a shellfish constable, said vote being contrary to law.

Article 21. Discussion on this question was spirited and informative. Bernard C. Collins and Philip J. Schwind spoke principally from point of interest to the fishermen, also pointed out the possibilities of interesting yachtsmen to use this basin which in turn opened further opportunity for development of land for residential use. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for the purpose of dredging Rock Harbor Creek and the building of rip rap. Vote: 44 to 5.

Article 22. Voted to transfer the sum of $200.00 from the Road Machinery Fund to the Road Machinery Operating Account.

Article 23. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 24. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 for the purchase of snow fences.

Article 25. Voted to accept the layout of Sunken Meadow Road as laid out by the Selectmen and to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 for the expense thereof, as per motion recorded herewith. Move that the Town of Eastham accept the layout of Sunken Meadow Road in said Eastham with boundaries and measurements as reported by the Selectmen under the date of January 19, 1946 and authorize and instruct the Selectmen of the said Town of Eastham to acquire by gift, purchase or eminent domain under Chapter 99, Section 14 of the General Laws of Massachusetts and Chapter 79, Section 1, and any chapter or section thereof or pertaining thereto, in behalf of the Town of Eastham the land or the interest in the land therein taken within the lines of said layout for said Town Way in fee, and for this purpose vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding fifty dollars. ($50.00).

Article 26. The motion to raise or appropriate the sum of $1,200.00 to meet the Town's share of the cost of Chapter 90 Highway Construction and that in addition the sum of $3,600.00 to be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's and County's share of the work, the re-imbursements from the State and County to be restored, upon this receipt, to unappropriated available funds in treasury, was lost by 33 to 26.

Article 27. Voted that the sum of $3,225.00 be raised and appropriated to meet the Town's share of the cost of Chapter 81 Highways, and that in addition, the sum of $9,675.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's share of the cost of the work, the re-imbursement from the State to be restored upon their receipt to unappropriated available funds in the treasury. Unanimous vote.

Article 28. Voted to accept the layout of a Town Landing or Common Landing Place on the North side of Jemima's Pond as made out by the Selectmen and filed with the Town Clerk and to see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to take by eminent domain, purchase or gift, said landing and vote to raise and appropriate sum of money for this purpose or take any action relative thereto. Voted to appropriate the sum of $100.00 for this purpose.

Article 29. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for repairs on the Old Wind Grist Mill.

Article 30. Voted to sell a parcel of land in So. Eastham, which was purchased by the Town for the purpose of a Town Dump, this Dump was later discontinued by vote of the Town.

Article 31. Voted that no money be appropriated for this apparatus at this time and that a committee be appointed by the chair to investigate the cost and maintenance of fire apparatus to report at a later meeting. Committee:

Nathan Nickerson, Frank A. Fuller, Alfred O. Stowell, Bernard C. Collins, Albion F. Rich, Jr.

Article 32. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 33. Voted to authorize the School Committee to establish and maintain State-aided vocational education in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 74, General Laws and Acts amendatory thereto, or dependent thereon, and further raise and apppropriate the amount of $35.00 therefor.

Article 34. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for Band Concerts to be given by the Junior Community Band, during the ensuing year. 63 aff.—1 neg.

Article 35. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $60.00 for the purpose of paying the electric current bill on the Air Horn the ensuing year.

Article 36. Voted to appoint a committee of three from the floor to investigate the cost and all details regarding the proposed installation of electric street lights for the Town of Eastham, said committee to report at a later Town Meeting. Committee appointed: Philip J. Schwind, Oscar G. Pierce and Emerson B. Wentworth.

Article 37. Voted to accept the building regulations under Sections 3, 4 and 5 of Chapter 143 of the General Laws.

Article 38. Voted to elect a planning board of five members under Section 81A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, said election to become effective at the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 39. Voted to appoint a committee of five, two of whom shall be veterans of World War II, to make plans to celebrate the return of those persons, men or women, who served with Armed Forces in World War II. Committee

appointed: Lloyd A. Mayo, Clyde L. Becker, Mrs. Dorothy Clark, Bernard C. Collins, Sr. and Luther P. Smith.

Article 40. Voted to adopt the following by-laws, by unanimous vote:

(1) The Board of Selectmen shall have authority to promote, control, regulate or prohibit the taking of eels and any and all kinds of shellfish and seaworms, within the limits of the Town of Eastham in accordance with Chapter 130 of the General Laws and Acts in addition thereto and amendment thereof.

(2) The Board of Selectmen shall have authority to grant licenses to plant, grow, dig and take shellfish and to plant shells for catching seed within the Town of Eastham, in accordance with Chapter 130 of the General Laws and Acts in addition thereto and amendment thereof.

(3) The Board of Selectmen of the Town of Eastham shall have authority to act exclusively in the exercise of all the rights, privileges and authority conferred by Section 56, with respect to such fisheries within the Town of Eastham, make appropriations as provided in Section 54, and exercise such other control, privileges and responsibilities as are granted in other sections of this Chapter pertinent thereto, as though such joint control or property did not exist, in accordance with Chapter 130 of the General Laws and Acts in addition thereto and amendment thereof. The Moderator announced his appointments to the Finance Committee for three years as follows: Albion F. Rich, Jr., Herman A. Dill and Philip J. Schwind.

A motion was made by Harold L. Arnold to give a rising vote to thanks to Stanley M. Walker, retiring School Committeee Member for his long and able service to the town.

His record of eighteen consecutive years, Chairman of the Board the greater part of the time, is appreciated.

Minutes of meeting read and adopted.

Voted to adjourn at 3:45 P. M.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL ELECTION, FEBRUARY 5, 1946

Polls opened at 10 o'clock A. M.

Elected:

Ralph A. Chase, Moderator for one year.

Maurice W. Wiley, Selectmen, Assessor, Board of Health, Public Welfare for three years.

Leslie E. Chase, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes for one year.

John P. Grozier, Tree Warden for one year.

Harvey T. Moore, Constable for one year.

John James Kilgar Black Adamson, School Committee for three years.

Otto E. Nickerson, Trustee of Public Library for three years.

Nathan A. Nickerson, Highway Surveyor for one year.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

March 1, 1946.

Mr. Leslie E. Chase, Town Clerk,
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mr. Chase:

In accordance with established procedure, this is to inform you that on Monday, February 25th, 1946, the newly

constituted Eastham Finance Committee held its initial meeting for the purpose of electing a Chairman and Secretary for the ensuing year.

At this meeting, Harry S. Young, was unanimously elected Chairman and Secretary.

Very sincerely,

HARRY S. YOUNG,
Secretary.

SELECTMEN'S APPOINTMENTS
February 5, 1946

L. Isabelle Brackett	Town Accountant	3 years
Nathan A. Nickerson	Forest Warden	1 year
George F. Crocker	Sanitary Milk Inspector	"
Alton Robbins	Asst. Sanitary Milk Insp't'r	"
Herman A. Dill	Special Police	"
Horace C. Moore	Special Police	"
Walter F. Nickerson	Special Police	"
Leslie E. Chase	Special Police	"
Maurice W. Wiley	Chief of Police	"
Antone P. Escobar	Custodian of Dump	"
Adin L. Gill	Field Driver	"
Nathan Clark	Field Driver	"
Harvey T. Moore	Field Driver	"
Harry W. Collins	Pound Keeper	"
Maurice A. Moore	Inspector of Wiring	"
Reuben Hopkins	Inspector of Wiring	"
Stanley M. Walker	Sealer of Wghts & Meas.	"
Herbert D. Nickerson	Burial Agent	"
Elmer W. Lloyd	Moth Superintendent	"
Harry W. Collins	Inspector of Slaughtering	"
Winfred J. Knowles	Police Officer	"
Leslie E. Chase	Police Officer	"
Alfred O. Stowell	Police Officer	"

Walter F. Nickerson	Police Officer	"
Charles S. Whiting	Police Officer	"
George W. Howland	Shellfish Constab. (des. Aug. 1-9)	
Richard M. Sturtevant	" " (des. Aug. 9-Dec.31)	
Ernest C. Eldridge	Asst. Sanitary Inspector	1 year
Nathan A. Nickerson	Fire Chief, Sept. 14, 1946-Feb. 1947	

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

March 29, 1946

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham, in the County of Barnstable.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Friday, the 29th day of March next, at eight o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles in this warrant.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury a sum of money for the purchase of fire apparatus, and equipment, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury a sum of money for the purpose of maintaining a fire department or take any action relative thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of remodelling or erecting a building to house fire apparatus and equipment, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 42 through 44 inclusive, of Chapter 48 of the General Laws, establishing a Fire Department.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, the sum of $800.00 for the purpose of repairing the Old Wind Mill, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase a snow plow, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift a piece of marshland at Rock Harbor from Henry Bonnell or take any action relative thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of grading and oiling or taring the drive in front of the school house, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase and maintain a motor vehicle to mount the sprayer equipment on, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to grant the descendents of Ralph Smith permission to erect a memorial to Ralph Smith in the old cemetery at South Eastham, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 11. To hear the report of the Committee on street lights, appointed at the last annual Town Meeting, or take any action relative thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting atttested copies thereof, at the Packing House of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, at the barn of Harry W. Collins in South Eastham, and at the Post Office in Eastham, and the Post Office in North Eastham, seven days at least before time of holding said Town Meeting. Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals that 22nd day of March, in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six.

MAURICE W. WILEY,
GEORGE HOWARD,
LUTHER SMITH,
Board of Selectmen.

SPECIAL TOWN MEEETING

March 29, 1946

Pursuant to the warrant preceding, the Moderator called the assembly to order at 8 o'clock P. M. The warrant was read by the Moderator. Tellers appointed were: Yngve E. Rongner and Robert L. Deschamps and were sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Nathan A. Nickerson and Bernard C. Collins reported for the Committee appointed at the Annual Town Meeting February 4, 1946, to investigate and report on Fire Apparatus suitable for this Town. The types of apparatus and equipment with prices on the different makes and equipment was fully covered. Voted unanimously that the Town transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury the sum of $8,200.00 for the purchase of fire apparatus and equipment and that the committee appointed at the

Annual Town Meeting, February 4, 1946 be authorized to purchase said apparatus and equipment.

Article 2. Voted to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury the sum of $250.00 for maintenance of the fire department.

Article 3. Voted to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury the sum of $1,100.00 for the purpose of remodelling the shed in the rear of the Town Hall to house the fire apparatus and equipment. 90 aff. 1 neg.

Article 4. Voted to accept Sections 42 through 44 inclusive of Chapter 48, of the General Laws establishing a fire department. Unanimous vote.

Article 5. Voted to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, the sum of $800.00 to be used to repair the Old Wind Mill. Unanimous vote.

Article 6. Voted to raise and appropriated the sum of $260.00 for the purchase of a V-type Snow Plow. Unanimous vote.

Article 7. Voted to accept as a gift from Harry Bonnell a parcel of marshland at Rock Harbor, with a vote of thanks to Mr. Bonnell in appreciation of his generous gift. The Town Clerk to write Mr. Bonnell to this effect.

Article 8. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $600.00 for the purpose of Grading and surfacing with oil or tar, the drive at the school.

Article 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the purchase of a motor vehicle to mount the spraying equipment on.

Article 10. Voted to grant permission to the descendants of the late Ralph Smith to erect a monument to the memory of Ralph Smith in the old cemetery in South Eastham.

Article 11. Mr. Philip Schwind reported for the committee appointed at the Annual Town Meeting February 4, 1946, to investigate and report the cost and conditions of installing street lights. Owing to shortage of material there is no possibility that we can have lights this year, voted that committtee be excused. Voted to indefinitely postpone action on this article.

Minutes of Meeting read and accepted.

Voted to adjourn at 9:40 P. M.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

April 5, 1946

Mr. Harry D. Bonnell,
R. F. D.,
Orleans, Mass.

Dear Mr. Bonnell:

At the Special Town Meeting, held March 29th, the Town voted to accept with thanks your very generous gift of marshland at Rock Harbor.

Your kindness in the matter is much appreciated, the people of the Town of Eastham feel you have demonstrated a deep interest in the town by your gift and we are confident that the development of this tidal basin can only result in much benefit to both the towns.

It is a pleasure to state that with co-operation of this kind a precedent has been established that could well be a pattern for other towns to follow to enhance the future of Cape Cod as a whole.

Yours truly,

Leslie E. Chase,
Town Clerk,
for the Town of Eastham.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said Eastham in said Town on Thursday, the 14th day of November, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles in this warrant.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury sums of money to the following accounts or take any action relative thereto: Police, Spray Truck, Suppression of Fires, Health, Public Welfare, Town Hall, Aid to Dependent Children, Rock Harbor Dredging, Reserve Fund, Soldier's Benefits, School, and Tax Possessions.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of paying tuition fees to the Bristol County Agricultural School, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to accept the act which covers firemen and police under Workmen's Compensation.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting atttested copies thereof, at the Packing House of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham, at the barns of Harry W. Col-

lins in South Eastham, at the Post Office in Eastham, and at the Post Office in North Eastham. Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting. Given under our hands and seal this 6th day of November, in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six.

MAURICE W. WILEY,
GEORGE HOWARD,
LUTHER P. SMITH,
Board of Selectmen.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

November 14, 1946

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the meeting was called to order by the Moderator, warrant calling meeting together with the returns of the officer who served the warrant read by the Moderator, tellers appointed to serve at this Meeting: Elizabeth F. Collins and Winfred J. Knowles and were sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury the following sums of money:

Police Account	$100.00
Spray Truck Account	125.00
Suppression of Fires Account	100.00
Health Account	100.00
Soldiers' Benefits Account	700.00
School Account	2,200.00
Town Hall Account	300.00
Rock Harbor Dredging Account	750.00
Welfare Account	600.00
Aid of Dependent Children Account	1,000.00

Tax Possession Account	200.00
Reserve Account	300.00

Article 2. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for the purpose of paying tuition fee to the Bristol County Agricultural School, and that this amount be transferred from unappropriated available funds in treasury. Unanimous vote.

Article 3. Indefinitely postponed.

Minutes of Meeting read and approved.

Voted to adjourn at 10:05 P. M.

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk

Fees of Town Clerk, Treasurer Collector of Taxes

Eastham, Mass.
Dec. 31, 1946

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Eastham, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit the amount of fees for the year 1946.

Collector of Taxes		
Demands, Charges	$94.10	
Tax Titles	16.75	
Town Clerk		
Recording	14.00	
Pole Locations & Filing Plans	40.00	
Birth Certificates	11.00	
Marriage Certificates	6.00	
Death Certificates	9.50	
Administering Oaths	11.25	
Dog Licenses, Paid by County	12.80	
Fish, Game Licenses Paid by State	66.00	
State Treasurer Bounty on Seals	10.00	
Of the above amount $51.75 is unpaid		
		$291.00

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE,
Town Clerk, Treasurer
Collector of Taxes.

Report of Town Accountant

To the Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:

I have the honor of submitting the report of the Accounting Department for the year ending December 31, 1946, as follows:

RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand January 1, 1946		$35,691.46
General Revenue		
Taxes 1944 Real	$70.51	
Taxes 1945 Personal	89.47	
Taxes 1945 Real	2,089.65	
Taxes 1946 Real	35,194.38	
Taxes 1946 Personal	4,026.54	
Taxes 1946 Poll	262.00	
		41,732.55
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1945	20.85	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1946	1,000.27	
		1,021.12
Tax Title Redemption	473.46	
Sale Tax Possessions	1,566.00	
		2,039.46
From State:		
Income Tax	5,953.50	
Business Corp. Tax	2,778.32	
Old Age Assistance Meal Tax	415.80	
Gasoline Tax	3,045.82	
		12,193.44

From County:		
Refunded Dog Tax		126.88
Licenses and Permits:		
Shellfish Permits	551.00	
Shellfish Grants	24.81	
Victuallers	10.00	
Revolver	4.00	
Dog	133.20	
Innholders	4.00	
Gasoline	4.00	
Fish and Game	523.25	
Pasteurization	10.00	
Cabin	2.50	
Lodging House	4.00	
Pedlers	6.00	
Milk	7.00	
		1,283.76
Grants and Gifts		
Schools		
City of Boston	1,135.24	
Superintendent	219.70	
		1,354.94
Interest		
Taxes Real and Personal	71.53	
Motor Vehicle Excise	1.05	
Tax Title Redemption	102.39	
Demands Poll Tax	10.15	
		185.12
Collectors Fees		94.10
Commercial Revenue		
Sealers Fees	19.34	
Library Fines	34.04	
Rent of Highway Machinery	405.00	
School Lunch	904.26	
School Milk	274.22	
		1,636.86

From State		
Vocational Education	270.00	
Inspection of Animals	20.00	
Bounty on Seals	121.00	
Highway Chapter 81	8,447.94	
Old Age Assistance	4,964.59	
Aid Dependent Children	565.10	
Shellfish Grant	300.00	
		14,688.63
Federal Grants		
Old Age Assistance	5,384.40	
Old Age Assistance Adm.	179.96	
Aid Dependent Children	747.61	
Aid Dependent Children Adm.	12.67	
Old Age Assistance Recovery	690.00	
School Lunch	764.40	
		7,779.04
Unclassified		
Reimbursement Loss of Taxes	7.08	
Use of Telephone	.38	
Tax Title Redemption	33.00	
Recordings	43.61	
Fine	10.00	
Legal Stamp	1.10	
Sale of Voting Lists	4.05	
Sale of Material (Vocational Education)	4.19	
Sale of Typewriter	10.00	
		113.41
Refunds		
Advertising	1.20	
Dog	32.00	
Dental Clinic	49.50	
1942 Taxes	50.88	
Old Mill	801.95	
Insurance	40.22	

School	5.76	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	1.92	
Town Hall	.98	
		984.41

Trust Funds:

Income		
Billings Fund	420.00	
Timothy Smith Fund	803.80	
Town Hall Fund	40.88	
Post War Rehabilitation Fund	300.00	
Timothy Smith War Bonds	275.00	
		1,839.68
Withdrawn		
Town Hall Income Fund	33.65	
Christmas Tree Fund	24.51	
Timothy Smith Fund (Gift)	100.00	
Loans	183.49	
		341.65
Total Receipts		$123,106.46

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's Salaries	$1,100.00
Assessors' Salaries	700.00
Board of Welfare Salaries	800.00
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Salary	2,000.00
Accountant Salary and Expense	517.18
Janitor Salary	1,500.00
Moderator	25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Constable	50.00
Secretary Finance Committee	50.00
Officers' Travelling Expense	106.69

Selectmen and Assessor Expense	281.86
Assessors' Abstracts	75.00
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense	400.00
Surety on Bond	81.50
Election and Registration	145.22
Town Hall	1,000.78
Shellfish Constable	3.00
Shellfish Protection	62.03
Police	189.67
Fire Apparatus	7,709.57
Fire Department Maintenance	244.31
Remodeling Fire House	1,186.07
Suppression of Moth	799.99
Motor Vehicle for Sprayer	611.81
Tree Warden	12.23
Suppression of Tent Caterpillars	50.00
Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires	398.45
Sealer of Weights and Measures	6.25
Inspection of Wiring	70.00
Bounty on Woodchucks	25.00
Health	455.00
Town Dump	338.70
Inspection of Animals	40.00
Dog Account	20.00
Free Bed—Cape Cod Hospital	300.00
Public Welfare	1,300.00
Old Age Assistance	7,500.00
Aid Dependent Children	2,453.74
Old Age Assistance—Federal Grant	5,015.39
Old Age Assistance Adm.—Federal Grant	60.05
Aid Dependent Children—Federal Grant	719.29
Aid Dependent Children Adm.—Federal Grant	5.96
State Aid	1,231.78
Highway General	499.34
Highway Chapter 81	12,894.73
Snow	492.73
Snow Plow	260.00

Town Landing—Great Pond	169.00
Town Landing—Aunt Jemima's Pond	177.00
Town Landing—Salt Pond	195.90
Sunken Meadow Road	150.65
Road Machinery	195.19
School	22,455.96
School House Drive	672.31
School Milk	274.22
George Deen Fund (Vocational Education)	127.50
Public Library	426.88
Public Library Trust Account	564.56
Interest	123.75
Old Cemeteries	149.90
Miscellaneous	221.88
Tax Title Account	99.76
Town Report	300.00
Tax Possession Expense	420.67
Town Landings	229.53
Insurance	488.76
Memorial Day	46.00
Community Christmas Tree	50.00
Recreation Center	100.00
Old Windmill	109.13
Dredging Rock Harbor Creek	3,750.00
1945 Bills	106.80
Vocational Training	14.03
Agricultural School	68.00
Band Concerts	150.00
Fire Siren	36.84
Post War Rehabilitation Fund Income	300.00
Town Hall Income	40.88
Timothy Smith Fund Income	803.80
Timothy Smith Fund Government Bonds Income	275.00
Town Hall Fund Withdrawn	33.65
Zara Higgins Cemetery Fund Withdrawn	4.00
Christmas Tree Fund Withdrawn	24.51
Timothy Smith Fund Loans	183.49

State Parks and Reservations	59.30
County Tax	5,263.81
State Tax	1,150.00
State Audit	340.16
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	534.11
Collector's Fees	93.30
Dog Licenses	133.20
Fish and Game	523.25
Refund Poll Tax	4.00
Refund Real Estate Tax	10.26
Schoolhouse Note	1,000.00
Total Payments	$96,189.26

REVENUE 1946

Appropriation	$57,695.80	Poll Tax Comm.	$420.00
State and County Taxes	6,976.70	Real and Personal Tax Comm.	41,203.08
County Tax Underestimate	269.57	Estimated Receipts	22,427.19
Overlay, 1946	1,217.76	St. Park Overestimate	9.56
St. Park Underest.	22.24	Transfer from Available Funds	2,100.00
County Tax	334.79	Omitted Taxes	264.60
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	13.65	Unexpended Balances	2,676.21
	66,530.51	Estimated Receipts	292.64
To Surplus Revenue	2,862.77		
	$69,393.28		$69,393.28

Surplus Revenue (E and D)

Transfers:		Balance	$28,392.74
Highway Chap. 81	$9,675.00	Highway Chapt. 81	8,447.94
Fire Apparatus	8,200.00	Audit Adjustment	16.95
Fire Dept. Mainten.	250.00	Tax Possession Sales	1,566.00
Fire House Remod.	1,100.00	Tax Title Redemptions	473.46
Old Mill	800.00	Old Mill	800.00
Revenue	2,100.00		39,697.09
Police	100.00	Revenue	2,862.77
Spray Truck	125.00		
Suppression of Fires	100.00		
Health	100.00		
Soldiers' Benefits	700.00		
Schools	2,200.00		
Town Hall	300.00		
Public Welfare	600.00		
Rock Harbor Creek	750.00		
Aid Depend. Child.	1,000.00		
Tax Possessions	200.00		
Bristol County Agr. School	200.00		
Tax Titles	134.85		
	28,634.85		
Surplus Revenue (E and D)	13,925.01		
	$42,559.86		$42,559.86

CLASSIFICATION OF APPROPRIATIONS ACCOUNTS

Selectmen's Salaries

Maurice W. Wiley, Chairman	500.00	Appropriation	$1,100.00
George Howard	300.00		
Luther Smith	300.00		
	$1,100.00		$1,100.00

Assessors Salaries

Luther Smith	$200.00	Appropriation	$700.00
Maurice W. Wiley	300.00		
George Howard	200.00		
	$700.00		$700.00

Board of Welfare Salaries

George Howard	$350.00	Appropriation	$800.00
Maurice W. Wiley	200.00		
Luther Smith	250.00		
	$800.00		$800.00

Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Salary

Leslie E. Chase	$2,000.00	Appropriation	$2,000.00

Accountant Salary and Expense

L. Isabelle Brackett	$500.00	Appropriation	$530.00
Printing Stationery, Postage	17.18		
	$517.18		
Balance to Revenue	12.82		
	$530.00		$530.00

Assessors' Abstracts

Shirley B. Chase,	$75.00	Appropriation	$75.00

Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense

Dues, Collector's Association	2.00	Appropriation	$400.00
Dues, Town Clerk Association	3.00		
Typewriter Overhaul	11.00		
Use of Car (Treas.)	27.30		
Printing Stationery, Postage	243.15		
Clerical Help	113.55		
	$400.00		$400.00

Legal Expense

Bal. to Revenue	$150.00	Appropriation	$150.00

Surety On Bond

Deputy Collector	$5.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Treasurer	29.50		
Collector	42.00		
Town Clerk	5.00		
	81.50		
Balance to Revenue	18.50		
	$100.00		$100.00

Certification of Notes

Balance to Revenue	$10.00	Appropriation	$10.00

Election and Registration			
Maurice W. Wiley	$15.00	Appropriation	$150.00
George Howard	15.00		
Luther Smith	15.00		
L. E. Chase	15.00		
Harvey T. Moore	14.00		
Tellers	58.75		
Printing Stationery, Postage	12.47		
	145.22		
Balance to Revenue	4.78		
	$150.00		$150.00
Janitor's Salary			
Horace Moore	$1,500.00	Appropriation	$1,500.00
Moderator			
Ralph A. Chase	$25.00	Appropriation	$25.00
Road Surveyor			
Nathan Nickerson	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Constable			
Harvey T. Moore	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Salary Secretary Finance Committee			
Harry S. Young	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00
Officers Travelling Expense			
Selectmen Travel	$49.49	Appropriation	$150.00
Assessors' Travel	62.00		
	$111.49		
Balance to Revenue	38.51		
	$150.00		$150.00

Selectmen and Assessors' Expense

Dues for Assessors' Association	$6.00	Appropriation	$225.00
Selectmen's Ass'n Dues State and County	16.00	Transferred from Surplus Res.	80.00
Typewriter Overhaul	11.00		
Printing Stationery, Postage	60.31		
Clerical Help	178.80		
Selectmen's Meeting	4.95		
	277.06		
Balance to Revenue	27.94		
	$305.00		$305.00

Town Hall

Telephone	$73.05	Appropriation	$600.00
Lights	97.58	Transferred from Surplus	400.00
Fuel	278.76	Revenue Refund	.98
Gas Stove	24.00		
Tuning Piano	15.00		
Waterproof Cement	8.82		
Labor on Waterp'f'g	3.00		
Janitor Supplies	50.21		
Sign	65.00		
Emergency Light	69.00		
Putting on Porch	2.00		
Oil Burner Repair	43.08		
Burning Grass	8.60		
Insurance	15.15		
Sharpen Lawn Mower	3.00		
Vacuum Sweeper	25.00		
Box Rent	2.00		
Painting	56.00		
Labor for Repairs	69.75		

Lumber, Paint, etc.	82.67		
Carting Rubbish	6.00		
Pencils	3.11		
Balance to Revenue	.20		
	$1,000.98		$1,000.98

Shellfish Constable

Richard Sturtevant	$3.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Bal to. Revenue	97.00		
	$100.00		$100.00

Shellfish Protection

Cloth Notices	$17.25	Appropriation	$100.00
Permits	22.60		
Lumber, bolts, etc.	14.18		
Use of Car	5.00		
Labor	3.00		
	62.03		
Balance to Revenue	37.97		
	$100.00		$100.00

Shellfish Propagation

Balance to 1947	$500.00	Appropriation	$200.00
		Received from State	300.00
	$500.00		$500.00

Police

Walter Nickerson	$72.11	Appropriation	$150.00
Harvey T. Moore	55.00	Transferred from	
Winfred Knowles	24.00	Surplus Revenue	100.00
Badges	26.95		
Equipment	11.61		
	189.67		
Balance to Revenue	60.33		
	$250.00		$250.00

Fire Apparatus

Fire Truck	$7,364.35	Transferred from	
Transmitter	345.22	Surplus Revenue	$8,200.00
	7,709.57		
Balance to Revenue	490.43		
	$8,200.00		$8,200.00

Fire Department Maintenance

Insurance	$210.85	Transferred from	
Record Book	5.47	Surplus Revenue	$250.00
Gas, Oil, Prestone	13.94		
Material	10.35		
Inspection	.50		
Chimflex	3.20		
	$244.31		
Balance to Revenue	5.69		
	$250.00		$250.00

Remodelling Fire House

Wiring Fire House	$30.63	Transferred from	
Heating System	199.76	Surplus Revenue	$1,100.00
Drive	39.50	Transferred from	
Labor	900.00	Reserve	150.00
Supplies	16.18		
	1,186.07		
Balance to Revenue	63.93		
	$1,250.00		$1,250.00

Moth Suppression

See Moth Superintendent Report

Expenditures	$799.99	Appropriation	$800.00
Balance to Revenue	.01		
	$800.00		$800.00

Bounty On Woodchucks

Bounties	$25.00	Appropriation	$25.00

Motor Vehicle for Sprayer

Truck	$225.00	Appropriation	$500.00
Insurance	36.15	Revenue	125.00
Parts for Truck	52.92	Refund	1.92
Labor on Truck	288.82		
Truck Storage	7.00		
Gas, Oil	1.92		
	611.81		
Balance to Revenue	15.11		
	$626.92		$626.92

Tree Warden

Tank Sprayer	5.85	Appropriation	$100.00
Tree Removal	5.40		
Weed Killer	.98		
	12.23		
Balance to Revenue	87.77		
	$100.00		$100.00

Suppression Tent Caterpillars

Otto E. Nickerson	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires

Badges	$52.04	Appropriation	$300.00
Town of Orleans	250.50	Transferred from	
Labor	95.91	Surplus Revenue	$100.00
	398.45		
Balance to Revenue	1.55		
	$400.00		$400.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Book	$6.25	Appropriation	$40.00

Health

Maurice W. Wiley	$5.00	Appropriation	$400.00
George Howard	5.00	Transferred from	
Luther Smith	5.00	Surplus Revenue	100.00
Well Child Confer.	50.00		
Dental Clinic	75.00		
Burying Blackfish	12.00		

Carting Sand to Dump	22.00		
Cleaning up Roadside	8.00		
Barnstable County Sanitorium	273.00		
	455.00		
Balance to Revenue	45.00		
	$500.00		$500.00

Dog Account

Walter Nickerson	$20.00	Appropriation	$20.00

Town Dump

Antone Escobar	$338.70	Appropriation	$350.00
Balance to Revenue	11.30		
	$350.00		$350.00

Inspection of Animals

Harry W. Collins	$40.00	Appropriation	$40.00

Public Welfare

Index	$3.00	Appropriation	$700.00
Dues, Welfare Ass'n	3.00	Transferred from	
Cash Grants	561.75	Reserve	600.00
Town of Orleans	434.31		
Board and Care	107.14		
Town of Duxbury	190.80		
	$1,300.00		$1,300.00

Old Age Assistance

Cash Grants	$7,500.00	Appropriation	$7,500.00

Aid Dependent Children

Cash Grants	$2,453.74	Appropriation	$1,500.00
Balance to Revenue	46.26	Transferred from Surplus Revenue	1,000.00
	$2,500.00		$2,500.00

Old Age Assistance—Federal Grant

Town of Wellfleet	$14.94	Federal Grants	$5,674.63
Audit Adjustment	9.00		
Cash Grants	5,000.45		
	5,024.39		
Balance to Revenue	650.24		
	$5,674.63		$5,674.63

Old Age Assistance Recovery

Balance to 1947	$690.00	Mortgage Discharge	$690.00

Old Age Assistance Adm.—Federal Grant

Travel Expense	$18.00	Federal Grants	$260.81
Printing, Stationery, Postage	30.05		
Typewriter Overhaul	12.00		
	60.25		
Balance to 1947	200.76		
	$260.81		$260.81

Aid Dependent Children—Federal Grant

Cash Grants	$719.29	Federal Grants	$1,135.40
Balance to 1947	416.11		
	$1,135.40		$1,135.40

Aid Dependent Children Adm.—Federal Grant

Envelopes	$5.96	Federal Grants	$112.50
Balance to 1947	106.54		
	$112.50		$112.50

State Aid

Cash Grants	$1.231.78	Appropriation	$300.00
Balance to Revenue	68.22	Transfer from Revenue	300.00
		Transfer from Surplus Revenue	700.00
	$1,300.00		$1,300.00

Highway General

Bulldozer Hire	54.88	Appropriation	$500.00
Part for Bulldozer	3.01		
Tank	10.00		
Labor on Tank	5.50		
Loader	48.00		
Gas, Oil	5.74		
Welding	2.50		
Express	2.61		
Labor	367.10		
	499.34		
Balance to Revenue	.66		
	$500.00		$500.00

Highway Chapter 81

Expenditures	$12,894.73	Appropriation	$3,225.00
(See Surveyors Report)		Transfer from	
Balance to Revenue	5.27	Surplus Revenue	9,675.00
	$12,900.00		$12,900.00

Snow

Labor	$174.75	Appropriation	$300.00
Hydraulic Pump	13.50		
Express	.98		
Paint	3.50		
	192.73		
Balance to Revenue	107.27		
	$300.00		$300.00

Snow Plow

Snow Plow	$260.00	Appropriation	$260.00

Snow Fences

Balance to 1947	$250.00	Appropriation	$250.00

Town Landing—Great Pond

Frances Johnson	$100.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Survey	59.00	Transfer from	
Recording	4.50	Reserve	69.00
Setting Bounds	5.50		
	$169.00		$169.00

Town Landing—Aunt Jemima's Pond

Frances Johnson	$100.00	Appropriation	$100.00
Survey	59.00	Transfer from	
Recording	4.50	Reserve	77.00
Setting Bounds	13.50		
	$177.00		$177.00

Town Landing—Salt Pond

Survey	$129.60	Appropriation	$1,000.00
Office Work On Survey	66.30		
	195.90		
Balance to 1947	804.10		
	$1,000.00		$1,000.00

Sunken Meadow Road

Survey	$150.65	Appropriation	$50.00
Balance to Revenue	2.00	Transfer from Reserve	$102.65
	$152.65		$152.65

Road Machinery Account

Rebuild Clutch	$9.36	Transfer from Road Machinery Fund	200.00
Screen	5.25		
Dust Chute	20.50		
Chain, Sprocket	25.03		
Rollers, Wrenches Sprockets	31.93		
Bolts, etc.	6.80		
Gas, Oil, Grease	28.06		
Sand Loader	68.26		
	195.19		
Balance to 1947	4.81		
	$200.00		$200.00

School

Expenditures (See Superintendent's Report)	$22,455.96	Appropriation	$20,499.00
		Transfer from Surplus Revenue	2,200.00
Balance to Revenue	248.80	Refunds	5.76
	$22,704.76		$22,704.76

School House Drive

Labor	$457.10	Appropriation	$700.00
Asphalt	215.21		
	$672.31		
Balance to Revenue	27.69		
	$700.00		$700.00

School Milk

John C. Stalker Agent	$274.22	Receipts	$274.22

School Lunch

Balance to 1947	$301.77	Federal Grants after July 31, 1946	$301.77

George Deen Fund (Vocational Education)

John Logan Instructor	$127.50	Grants	$270.00
Balance to 1947	142.50		
	$270.00		$270.00

Bristol Agricultural School

Tuition	$ 68.00	Tr. from Surplus Revenue	$200.00
Balance to Revenue	132.00		
	$200.00		$200.00

Vocational Education

Supplies	$ 14.03	Appropriation	$350.00
Balance to Revenue	335.97		
	$350.00		$350.00

Public Library

Fuel	$ 62.89	Dog Tax	$126.88
Librarian	213.50	Appropriation	300.00
Dues	1.00		
Books	136.19		
Broom	2.90		
Paint, Lumber	6.51		
Printing Stationery, Postage	3.89		
	$426.88		$426.88

Public Library Trust A/C

Librarian	$150.50	Balance	$ 78.03
Lights	11.71	Income Billings Fund	420.00
Insurance	38.65	Timothy Smith Gift	100.00
Books and Magazines	157.45		
Labor Painting Library	167.50		

Paint, Lumber, Supplies	35.11		
Printing, Stationery, Postage	3.60		
	564.53		
Balance to 1947	33.47		
	$598.03		$598.03

Interest

Merchants National Bank	$123.75	Appropriation	$125.00
Balance to Revenue	1.25		
	$125.00		$125.00

Old Cemeteries

Labor	$149.90	Appropriation	$150.00
Balance to Revenue	.10		
	$150.00		$150.00

Reserve Fund

Transfers:			
Town Hall	$100.00	Appropriation	$1,000.00
Selectmen and Assessors' Exp.	80.00		
State Aid	300.00		
Miscellaneous	100.00		
Sunken Meadow Road	102.65		
Aunt Jemima's Pond	77.00		

Great Pond Town Landing	69.00		
Remodelling Fire House	150.00		
Inspection of Wires	20.00		
	998.65		
Bal. to Revenue	1.35		
	$1,000.00		$1,000.00

Miscellaneous

Clerical Expense	$ 6.00	Appropriation	$125.00
Bounties on Seals	121.50	Transfer from Reserve	100.00
Supplies, Postage	4.60		
Advertising	73.55		
Record Book	1.20		
Painting Band Stand	12.00		
Supplies Recording	3.03		
	221.88		
Bal. to Revenue	3.12		
	$225.00		$225.00

Tax Title Account

Printing, Stationery, Postage	$ 9.25	Appropriation	$350.00
Use of Car	3.00		
Notary Fees	4.00		
L. E. Chase, Fees	16.75		
Dean Sears	56.86		

Advertising	9.90		
	99.76		
Bal. to Revenue	250.24		
	$350.00		$350.00

Town Reports

Town Reports	$300.00	Appropriation	$300.00

Sale of Tax Possessions

Clerical Expense	$ 20.00	Appropriation	$300.00
Surveying and Staking Lots	304.84	Transfer from Surplus Revenue	200.00
Maurice W. Wiley Expense	73.30		
Recording	18.53		
Deeds	4.00		
	420.67		
Bal. to Revenue	79.33		
	$500.00		$500.00

Town Landings

Barrels for Float	$ 8.00	Appropriation	$300.00
Labor on Float	10.13		
Lumber and Tile	129.15		
Labor	82.25		
	229.53		
Bal. to Revenue	70.47		
	$300.00		$300.00

Insurance

Ralph A. Chase	$488.76	Appropriation	$475.00
Balance to Revenue	26.46	Refunds	40.22
	$515.22		$515.22

Finance Committee Expense A/C

Balance to Revenue	$10.00	Appropriation	$10.00

Memorial Day

Junior Community Band	$30.00	Appropriation	$70.00
Wreaths	16.00		
	46.00		
Balance to Revenue	24.00		
	$70.00		$70.00

Community Christmas Tree

Expended	$50.00	Appropriation	$50.00

Recreation Center

Ping Pong Balls and Set	$10.80	Appropriation	$100.00
Harriet Crosby—Dancing Lessons	20.00		
Music	12.64		
Records	23.46		
Stamp, Cards	2.50		
Phonograph Needles	1.00		
Refreshments, Prizes, Horns, Caps, etc.	29.60		
	$100.00		$100.00

Clearing Sedge Grass

Balance to 1947	$150.00	Appropriation	$150.00

Old Windmill

Cards	$ 1.95	Appropriation	$200.00
Lumber	37.45	Insurance Refund	800.00
Labor	69.73	Refund	1.95
	109.13		
Balance to 1947	892.82		
	$1,001.95		$1,001.95

Dredging Rock Harbor Creek

Expended	$3,750.00	Appropriation	$3,000.00
		Transfer from Surplus Revenue	750.00
	$3,750.00		$3,750.00

1945 Bills

1945 Bills	$106.80	Appropriation	$106.80

Band Concerts

Band Concerts	$150.00	Appropriation	$150.00

Fire Siren

Cape and Vineyard Electric Co.	$36.84	Appropriation	$60.00
Balance to Revenue	23.16		
	$60.00		$60.00

School House Note

Merchants National Bank	$1,000.00	Appropriation	$1,000.00

Trust Funds, Cash, Securities, Loans

Balance December 31, 1946	$57,369.03	Timothy Smith Fund	$15,115.81
		Timothy Smith Investment	11,000.00
		Billins Library Fund	14,000.00
		Town Hall Income Fund	578.73
		Old Grist Mill Operating Fund	6.67
		Eastham World War Memorial Fund	502.19
		Old Grist Mill Fund	535.61
		Community Xmas Tree Fund	36.76
		Post War Rehabilitation Fund	12,713.57
		Cemetery Trust Funds	233.44
		Town Hall Trust Fund	2,646.25
	$57,369.03		$57,369.03

GENERAL REVENUE SUMMARY

Cash December 31, 1946	$26,917.20	
Taxes Real 1946	1,779.20	
Taxes Personal 1946	65.04	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1946	22.38	
Tax Titles	586.85	
Tax Possessions	2,875.56	
Overlay 1942	7.95	
State Aid to Highways	3,766.99	
Zara Higgins Cemetery Fund	4.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Revenue		22.38
Tax Title and Tax Possession Revenue		3,462.41
Overlay 1945		98.75
Overlay 1946		749.63
Overlay Reserve		5,488.02
State Aid to Highways Revenue		3,766.99
Tailings		122.15
Sale of Land		2,396.91
Road Machinery		849.00
Old Age Assistance Federal Grant		650.24
Old Age Assistance Adm. Federal Grant		200.76
Aid Dependent Children Federal Grant		416.11
Aid Dependent Children Adm.		106.54
Old Age Assistance Recovery		690.00
Old Mill		892.92
George Deen Fund		142.50
School Lunch Federal Grant		301.77
Clearing Sedge Grass		150.00
Collector's Fees		.80
Town Landing Salt Pond		804.10
Road Machinery a/c		4.81
Snow Fences		250.00
Shellfish Propagation		500.00
Public Library Trust a/c		33.47
		22,100.16
Surplus Revenue (E and D)		13,925.01
	$36,025.17	$36,025.17

Respectfully sumitted,

L. ISABELLE BRACKETT,

Town Accountant

Report of the Eastham Finance Committee

FOR THE YEAR OF 1946

The committee was duly organized February 26, 1946, with Harry S. Young elected Chairman and Secretary.

Transfers were approved as follows:

Town Hall Account	$100.00
Selectmen and Assessors Expense Account	80.00
Soldier's Benefit Account	300.00
Miscellaneous Account	100.00
Sunken Meadow Road Account	102.65
Great Pond Town Landing Account	69.00
Jemima's Pond Town Landing Account	77.00
Remodeling Fire House Account	150.00
Inspection Wiring Account	20.00
Total	$998.65

Reserve Account	$1,000.00
Transfers	998.65
Balance	$1.35

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD L. ARNOLD
CAPT. HENRY O. DANIELS
HERMAN A. DILL
CARL C. FRENCH
ALFRED L. GILL
OSCAR PIERCE
ALBION L. RICH, JR.
PHILIP J. SCHWIND
HARRY S. YOUNG,
Chairman and Secretary

Report of Highway Surveyor

CHAPTER 81

To Appropriation	$3,225.00	By Payment	$12,894.73
By State	9,675.00	Unexpended Bal.	5.27
	$12,900.00		$12,900.00

Trucks and Operators	$2,789.76
Gravel Loader	210.00
Grader and Operator	1,442.00
Bulldozer and Operator	65.25
Laborer's Wages	3,276.04
Asphalt	4,063.17
Tar	537.88
Sand	71.00
Guard Rail Posts	210.00
Stone	27.00
Signs	102.00
Lumber, Nails, etc.	17.16
Shovels and Axes	9.70
Paint	6.02
Bowl for Mixer	19.75
Drag Brooms	48.00
	$12,894.73

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN A. NICKERSON,

Highway Surveyor

Librarian's Report

Number of volumes catalogued	6,946
Number volumes added	107
Number volumes borrowed	4,604
Total fines received	$34.04

As there are a smaller number of registered borrowers at the Library, the circulation has been lowered; although about the same amount of money has been spent on books and magazines.

The Trustees of the Library decided to have the Library open evenings this Fall and Winter, but very few have taken advantage of this. Usually there are only one or two people who come in the evening.

Several boxes of books have been borrowed from the Division of Public Libraries, Boston, which have been used at the Grammar School, helping the children who live a distance from the Library. Many other books were borrowed for patrons of the Library.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. BLANCHE A. KEEFE,

Librarian.

Report of Board of Public Welfare

Of interest to all our citizens, the following figures in regard to our Welfare Department may be timely.

During 1946 the number of recipients of Old Age Assistance has varied from 23 to 26.

The total amount received by these people is $12,487.25. Of this amount $5588.07 is being paid by the Federal Government, the State contributes $4,775.19, leaving $2,124.09 as the share of the Town of Eastham.

As to the Department of Aid to Dependent Children, in 1946 our roll has varied from one family with five children to five families with 15 children. The total expense $3,173.03 is met by the Federal Government paying $1,003.50, the State contributing $1,057.69, which leaves $1,111.84 as the share of our town.

For general relief we have paid out $1,339.69. The State is responsible for $516.25 of this amount and the town pays $823.44.

GEORGE HOWARD
MAURICE W. WILEY
LUTHER P. SMITH
Board of Public Welfare.

Report of Eastham Advisory Committee

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Veteran's Rehabilitation and Re-employment Committee

There has been enacted by the Commonwealth, certain legisation affecting the structure and duties of city and town advistory committees, set forth as follows:

Chapter 115, Section 12, General Laws, as amended:
(Chapter 599, Acts of 1946)

"In each city, and in each town not included in a district established under section ten, and in each such district, there shall be in the department of veterans services an unpaid advisory board to be appointed, in cities by the mayor, in towns by the board of selectmen, and in districts by the district board. Said advisory board shall render such assistance to the director of veterans' services of the municipality or district relative to the provisions of this chapter, except as to sections one to nine, inclusive, as said director may request. The commissioner is hereby authorized and directed to formulate and publish rules and regulations establishing in a general manner the types of persons, with respect to their occupations, professions and special skills, who may be appointed to such unpaid advisory boards. Every such advisory board shall consist of not less than five nor more than fifteen residents of the city, town or district, as the case may be."

In compliance with the above amendment, the Board of Selectmen have appointed an advisory board accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE E. CHASE
RALPH A. CHASE
YNGVE ROGNER
ALFRED O. STOWELL
HARRY S. YOUNG, Chairman

Report of Fire Chief

To the Board of Selectmen

Gentlemen:

Having been appointed Fire Chief for the Town of Eastham, I am giving you and the Citizens of the town a report of the department and the apparatus we have recently purchase.

The department has been organized with a compliment of seventeen call firemen including one Deputy Chief and one Captain.

The department has been out once a week, weather permitting, for drills and are taking much interest in their work. Chief Knowles from Orleans has been with us giving some valuable information on fire fighting.

Nearly one hundred percent of the department are taking courses in First Aid and will be able to meet most any kind of an emergency.

The new Fire Apparatus, which was voted at a special town meeting last March, arrived in October. It met with the approval of the Committee One Hundred percent.

The piece of apparatus has been inspected by members of other fire departments and highly praised by them for having such an amount of equipment and water capacity compact in one piece of apparatus.

At present we have five hundred feet of one and one-half inch hose and one thousand feet of two and one-half inch hose and three hundred feet of booster line.

The building which was remodeled for the fire house is very adequate for one piece of apparatus and is being heated very satisfactory.

The fire apparatus committee felt a first class fire call system was very important to a Fire Department, so the

committee has worked out a system which we believe is for the best interest of the Town. This consists of a coded transmitter which was installed in the Orleans Telephone Exchange, a private line which was run to the Compressor Building where the air horn is located.

This means that in case of fire in anyone's home or locality, all one has to do is call the operator and say "Fire at Eastham", giving your code unmber and exactly where the fire is; the operator will automatically sound the alarm, giving your code number. This number when sounded will give the firemen of the department what street the fire is on, saving time by not having to report at the fire station first.

We have this system all completed and installed with the execption of one part which the Company shipped, but was the wrong part. This is being shipped again, but as yet has not been received, but believe this will be completed by the time this report is read.

The Eastham Firemen's Association, Inc., has helped out a great deal, both manually and financially, in getting this fire alarm system in operation. The Association has purchased another air horn to go with the one we had. This gives us a greater distance that the alarm can be heard.

We have cards printed for distribution to every household in town, giving the code number for all streets. These cards will be distributed as soon as the alarm system is complete.

There were five house fires and four grass fires which the Forest Warden was called to in 1946. The Orleans Fire Department was called to the house fires.

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN A. NICKERSON
Fire Chief.

Report of Moth Superintendent

January 10, 1947

Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:

In 1946 all the 40 miles of roads in Eastham were sprayed at least three times, which entailed the use of over 1¼ tons of lead arsenate, 15 lbs. of DDT, and 150 lbs. of Catalyzer. Extra time was also spent wherever infestation showed signs of developing beyond control. Available funds provided 390 hours for myself and one helper.

Income from private spraying provided $20.00 for use of the equipment, and there is approximately $80.00 for which work I have 23 signed receipts, with four instances where no receipt was obtained; these are to be assessed as taxes on property owners (Sec. 18, Chap. 132, General Laws).

The apple trees in Eastham are in a deplorable condition; because of negligence in pruning and spraying, in some cases due to age, there is no possibility of a yield. Almost all of them are infested with scab, and for all practical purposes are little more than host to all the insect pests. Wild cherry is an even greater offender; with no possible usefulness, it is in this town also host to every disease and pest to be found here. One of the most effective means of controlling tent moth and fall webworm, would be to eliminate all wild cherry.

Fall webworm, Browntail and Gypsy moths all require more work if a sincere program of moth suppression is to be followed. Undeveloped woodlands present a haven for insect pests that Eastham's small equipment could not reach under the most favorable conditions. There is a severe

infestation of Gypsy moth on the school lot and adjacent property, which according to abutting property owners, has always been there. It has been my recommendation that fire lanes be cut through the school lot. This would allow dormant spraying of this infested area to meet the town's obligations in moth suppression.

The Orleans Tree Warden co-operated with me this year in spraying our elm trees, as our spray gun was inadequate. More hose is necessary if our equipment is to have a decent range. A larger refiller is needed, as with the present one, there is as much, if not more time used in recharging the tank as is used in spraying out a tank full of liquid.

The spray truck is being stored and the engine overhauled in preparation for next season's work. See Town Accountant's Report for figures on the Spray Truck account.

Wages	$641.80	Appropriation	$800.00
Materials	61.60		
Gas and Oil	76.84		
Fees	4.75		
Advertising	15.00		
	799.99		
Balance	.01		
	$800.00		$800.00

Respectfully submitted,

E. W. LLOYD,

Moth Supt.

Auditor's Report

October 22, 1946

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. Maurice W. Wiley, Chairman
Eastham, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Eastham for the period from July 25, 1945, to August 10, 1946, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

FRANCIS X. LANG,
Director of Accounts.

Mr. Francis X. Lang
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Eastham for the period from July 24, 1945, the date of the previous examination, to August 10, 1946, and report thereon as follows:

The records of financial transactions of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town, or committing bills for collection, were examined, checked, and verified by comparison with the reports and records in the office of the town accountant.

The ledger accounts were analyzed, the appropriations and transfers being checked with the town clerk's records of town meetings and with the records of the finance committee. A balance sheet, showing the financial condition of the town on August 10, 1946, was prepared and is appended to this report.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked. The cash book additions were verified, and the record receipts were analyzed and compared with the records of the town accountant and with those of the departments making payments to the treasurer. The payments by the treasurer were compared with the selectmen's warrants authorizing the disbursement of town funds.

The treasurer's cash balance on August 10, 1946 was proved by actual count of the cash in the office and by reconciliation of the bank balance with a statement furnished by the bank in which town funds are deposited.

The recorded payments on account of maturing debt and interest were checked with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities on file.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investments of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer were examined and listed, the income being proved and the withdrawals verified.

The income from the Timothy Smith Fund, the Town Hall Fund, and the Billings Library Fund, received from investments in the custody of the trustees, was verified by comparison with statements received from the trustees.

The records of tax titles held by the town were examined and checked. The amounts added to the tax title accounts were compared with the collector's records, the reported redemptions and foreclosures were verified, and the tax titles on hand were listed and reconciled with the accountant's ledger.

The books and accounts of the tax collector were examined and checked. The committments of taxes were proved

with the assessors' warrants for their collection, the payments to the treasurer by the collector were checked to the treasurer's books, the abatements as recorded were compared with the records of the assessors, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

The records of departmental accounts receivable were examined. The charges were added and compared with the accountant's record of commitments, and the recorded collections were checked with the treasurer's cash book.

Verification of the outstanding tax accounts was made by sending notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts as listed are correct.

The records of licenses and permits issued by the selectmen, town clerk, and milk inspector were examined and checked, and the payments to the State and the town were verified.

The surety bonds of the officials required by law to furnish them for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

In addition to the departments mentioned, the available records of all other departments receiving money for the town were checked and the payments to the treasurer were verified.

Appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet referred to, are tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the tax and tax title accounts, together with tables showing the condition and transactions of the trust and investment funds.

While engaged in making the audit, co-operation was received from all town officials, for which, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,
Asst. Director of Accounts.

TOWN OF EASTHAM

Balance Sheet—August 10, 1946

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets				Liabilities and Reserves			
Cash			$25,161.57	State Assessments 1946:			
Accounts Receivable:				Parks and Reservations		$37.06	
Taxes:				Auditing Municipal Accounts		340.16	
Levy of 1945:				Cape Cod Mosquito Control		520.46	
Real Estate		$103.65					$897.68
Levy of 1946:				Tailings			122.15
Poll	$14.00			Proceeds of Dog Licenses—Due County			28.20
Personal Prop.	3,340.47			Sale of Real Estate Fund			3,196.91
Real Estate	27,310.07			Road Machinery Fund			684.00
		30,664.54		Library Trust Fund Income			428.81
			30,768.19	Post-War Rehabilitation Fund Income			125.00
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:				Collector's Fees			51.05
Levy of 1945		$2.00		Old Age Assistance Recovery			690.00
Levy of 1946		54.71		Federal Grants:			
			56.71	Old Age Assistance:			
Tax Titles			901.07	Administration	$154.75		
Tax Possessions			3,486.56	Assistance	2,793.16		
State Aid to Highways:						$2,947.91	
Chapter 81			7,880.31	Aid to Dependent Children:			
Underestimate 1946—County Tax			334.79	Administration	$106.54		
Overlay Deficit:				Aid	417.65		
Levy of 1942			7.95			524.19	
							3,472.10
				Unexpended Balances			38,138.10

Estimated Receipts to be Collected	9,741.92	Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		5,488.02
		Overlays Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:		
		Levy of 1945	$103.65	
		Levy of 1946	1,020.61	
				1,124.26
		Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
		Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	$56.71	
		Tax Title and Tax Possessions	4,387.63	
		Aid to Highways	7,880.31	
				12,324.65
		Surplus Revenue		11,568.14
	$78,339.07			$78,339.07

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$5,000.00	Schoolhouse Loan	$5,000.00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds		Timothy Smith Fund Income	$33,003.07
Cash and Securities:		Town Hall Fund Income	535.38
In Custody of Town Treasurer	$47,426.56	Old Wind Grist Mill Fund	537.02
		Eastham Community Christmas Tree Fund	60.97
		Eastham World War Memorial Fund	497.22
		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	235.11
		Post-War Rehabilitation Fund	12,557.79
	$47,426.56		$47,426.56

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND THE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

OF THE

Town of Eastham

FOR THE YEAR

1946

ORGANIZATION

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Katherine A. Moore, Chairman	Term expires 1948
Elizabeth F. Collins, Secretary	Term expires 1947
John J. Adamson	Term expires 1949

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Charles H. Pratt, A. M.

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Walter Nickerson

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Walter E. Wright, M. D.

SCHOOL NURSE

Mildred Wye

EASTHAM FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	Expended 1946		Needed 1947
General Control:			
School Committee, Salary and Expenses	$202.55		
Superintendent of Schools:			
Enforcement of Law—			
Salaries and Travel	664.88		
Office Expenses	42.09		
		$909.52	$1,030.00
Instruction:			
Supervisors	890.00		
Principal and Teachers	4,990.00		
Textbooks	97.85		
Supplies	173.15		
		6,151.00	7,215.00
Operation:			
Fuel	512.71		
Lights, Gas, Janitor's supplies and miscellaneous operating expenses	372.48		
		885.19	1,000.00
Maintenance:			
Repairs, replacement and upkeep	143.68		
		143.68	300.00

Auxiliary Agencies:			
Health	60.34		
Libraries	13.13		
Transportation	3,600.00		
Tuition	6,432.68		
Lunch—Supplies	1,974.20		
Lunch—Cooks' Salaries	1,396.00		
Graduation, Phone, Insurance and Miscellaneous Expenses	780.21		
		$14,256.56	$12,810.00
Outlay:			
New Grounds and Buildings			
New Equipment	110.01		
		110.01	500.00
		$22,455.96	$22,855.00

Appropriated for 1946	$20,499.00
Transfer	2,200.00
Refunds	5.76
	$22,704.76
Expended in 1946	22,455.96
Unexpended	$ 248.80

School Lunch Funds—
Special Appropriation in 1947: $4,500.00 Requested.

NET COST OF SCHOOLS, YEAR 1946

Total Expenditures			$22,455.96
Accounts Receivable:			
Mass. General School Fund Part I		$652.00	
City of Boston:			
Tuition	$887.81		
Transportation	247.43		
		1,135.24	
Reimbursement for:			
High School Transportation		1,971.40	
Account of Supt. of Schools		219.70	
*Federal Aid School Lunch		722.75	
Sales of School Lunch		864.45	
			$5,565.54
Net cost of schools—1946			$16,890.42

*Federal Aid School Lunch:

This amount includes $72.52 claimed for Federal reimbursement for the month of December, which had not been received December 31, 1946.

This amount does not include $114.17 claimed for Federal reimbursement for the months of November and December, 1945, but was received in 1946.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Appropriation for Vocational Education		$300.00
Expended for Supplies		14.03
		285.97
Contributions for supplies		4.19
		$290.16
Receipts from George-Deen Federal Funds		
For year 1946	$150.00	
For year 1946-47	120.00	
		$270.00
Salary paid Instructor		127.50
		142.50
Expended for Tuition:		
Bristol County Agricultural School		$68.00
Appropriation requested for Vocational Education for 1947:		
Bristol County Agricultural School		$275.00
Wood Refinishing Classes		350.00
		625.00

Report of The Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Eastham:

A school report for the year 1946 would be most incomplete if it failed to mention that schools, like all other human organizations, are endeavoring to fill a fundamental need while society strives to chart its course in a world filled with uncertainties. We are surrounded by problems, social, political and economic, the magnitude of which we have never seen before.

Global conflict of World War II now has ceased but peace has not yet been declared. Nations are engaged in serious effort to "wage peace" so thoroughly that no nation can ever "wage war" again. We fondly hope and fervently pray to see the time:

> "Till the war-drum throb'd no longer,
> And the battle-flags were furl'd
> In the parliament of men, the federation of the world."

Enrollment of pupils in Eastham School reflects the current trend of population movement toward suburban or rural areas. Registration on October 1st, 1946 was 63. It reached a total of 99 in 1934 and low point of 44 in 1944. A first grade of 16 pupils gives promise of further growth in future years.

Educational environment continues to be quite ideal in Eastham, thanks to the stability, character and efficiency of the principal and teachers. Some of the emotional tur-

moil which has plagued many cities and towns has been spared the children of Eastham.

Increased costs of all things including goods and services is reflected in part by the school budget for 1947.

Estimated requirements of the school lunch are submitted this year as a separate budget. Accounting of this department and its net cost is shown on another page. Increased cost of living, variously estimated between 40% and 80%, has been felt in this department. It has been the purpose of this program to furnish a nourishing, balanced and attractive meal at a minimum cost to all children. The charge of fifteen cents per lunch makes the service available to all children. Testimony of hearty appetites prove that a satisfied customer is the best recommendation. Federal subsidy continues. Various agricultural products are received by payment of transportation. Two cents for each half pint of milk is paid by federal funds. As food supplies become more plentiful I note better quality and greater variety of menus which can be served. Much credit is due Mrs. Moore for her careful planning and hard work. I hope the lunch may continue to serve all Eastham children efficiently and well.

At the last annual meeting the town voted to authorize the establishment of a class in vocational education and appropriated funds to finance the work. An advisory committee consisting of Mr. Harry Young, Mrs. Alfred Cole and Mrs. Edwin Horton was organized to help plan the craft activity. A class in wood finishing was desired by people of Eastham and it was fortunate that a craftsman of experience and talent resided in the town. Mr. John W. Logan was secured as instructor. The quality of the work and enthusiasm of his class is a tribute to his ability. The membership of such a group, limited to twenty, has been filled to capacity a part of the time. I am informed by

our Advisory Committee that another group desires to start early in 1947.

I give great credit to the Advisory Committee for support and constructive suggestions in the interpretation of the needs and desires of the members of the class.

Federal George-Deen funds have been allocated to Eastham to cover the cost of instruction during the first year. These funds are available to start new schools of vocational nature. This support is gradually reduced as the work becomes established and sponsored locally. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts will reimburse the town for one-half its expenditures for operation. Our financial report shows that the cost to the Town of Eastham to date has been very small. I thoroughly believe in the potential value of this work. The returns are limited only by the desire of the community to capitalize on it.

During the autumn months teachers of arithmetic in grades one through eight in the towns of this school union have been giving time to the study of courses in arithmetic as it is taught elsewhere and formulating an outline for that subject in our own schools. Some twenty courses of study were reviewed and compared and a committee has been working on a report for each grade.

This is now well along toward completion. It is our intention to mimeograph these outlines in such form that they be amplified and revised as future study and experience shows the need. I am glad to report that this work received the loyal cooperation of all Eastham teachers and each contributed ably to its success.

I hope that other school systems may be visited during the year in order to study methods and for consultation with others who are working on similar problems.

This is a period when the study of teachers is very limited Replacements are difficult and the cost of this service has advanced. Teachers' Colleges have been graduating few students in the last five years. New students have not sought to prepare for this essential service in anything like the usual number and many teachers have left their schools for other kinds of work.

Public concern for this problem and for the future of our schools seems to be awakening and more adequate salaries for the best men and women teachers with real aptitude and thorough preparation for this work seems to be our only hope. Education of our people has largely won our recent war. We need even better education to preserve the future peace.

Eastham has been and still is fortunate in its teachers and its wonderfully fine school. I trust that we all may thoroughly appreciate and ably support this great work.

We have not been able to secure a new Supervisor of Art and no separate report of that work is included this year. Interest and evidence of past study can be seen in the school thanks to teachers who are on the job.

I a m glad to commend the work of the music and health departments which are included herewith. After the retirement of our old friehd, Dr. Goff, we had no School Physician until very recently. The report of the School Nurse covers this service well.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. PRATT,

Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Otto E. Nickerson

During the past year, our school enrollment has made a steady gain until now our pupils number 65. The greatest change is in the Primary which now, though comprising but two grades, has 24 children, a gain of 200% over two years ago.

Mrs. Catherine Skinner resigned last spring after two years of good service, but Mrs. Della Macomber has very capably filled the position. The absence of an art supervisor is keenly felt, after having had the clever leadership of Mrs. Grier for two years. Both the instrumental and vocal music are exceptional. Those who attended graduation in June realized this by the fine performance of the orchestra and our first year of four part vocal music.

The lunch room under Mrs. Moore is doing its nutritional share in the school program most satisfactorily in spite of food scarcities. Miss Wye, our school nurse, visits oftener than once a week. It is because of her efforts that we now have the up-to-date sight and hearing tests. Because of her careful check-ups and home visits, several clinical opportunities have been given our children. We sincerely regret the loss of Dr. Goff's friendly words and happy smiles, but retirement laws forbid his return to us.

Two significant improvements to our outward appearance are the new driveway and the clearing of the older boys' playground.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

Thomas Nassi

I hereby submit my annual report as Instrumental Music Supervisor.

I wish to let the people of Eastham know that there is rarely a school anywhere else where every pupil is given such a thorough check-up in his or her musical ability, aptitude and adaptability. Mr. Nickerson sees to it that every pupil is given a fair chance to try the instrument the pupil cares for. Mrs. Nassi and I have applied a system of teaching that has been tried and improved on through many years. The results have been very satisfactory. I have been able to check up with the many pupils that have lately come from other school systems. What these pupils know about music is negligible by comparison.

The Eastham musicians contribute significantly to the unusual Orleans High School Orchestra, Junior Community Band, Lower Cape School Symphony Orchestra and New England Festival.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF VOCAL MUSIC

W. W. Tileston

Vocal Music in the Eastham Grade School has proved unusually satisfying. Pupils enter their singing classes and rehearse with a vim and vigor that bespeaks great satisfaction to all in results achieved. Music should be and is one of the most enjoyable parts of the child's school day and I have tried to convey to all the boys and girls an added love for it by giving them songs that will appeal and bring out the many qualities of the individual.

Through music a child enters into a world of beauty, expresses his inmost self, tastes the joy of creating, widens his sympathies, develops his mind, soothes and refines his spirit and adds grace to his body.

"Sing, America, Sing" could easily be my criterion, for even more than ever now, we all realize how greatly

music today has an influence on industry, religion, economics, government and particularly in our everyday life in our own community.

Children go home inspired with the love of music, and in most cases, that enthusiasm is caught up and augmented in the home. It spreads as I have noted by the response to community singing in the various towns of our Union and what could be more gratifying to a leader of music than to see old and young alike giving voice to make the adage true of "a singing world is a happy world"! Community singing and group singing has become securely established as one of our essential social activities. As Carlyle says: "There is something deep and good in concerted music, for body and soul go strangely together."

The real value of such music lies in its power to lift all of the individuals into a spirit of unified interest in a worthy cause. Such singing together—be it in the classroom or large community hall—creates an atmosphere of good cheer and good will, and stimulates courage through the sheer joy its self expression.

As Thackeray says: "Music is irresistible, it's charities are countless, it stirs the feeling of love, peace and friendship as scarce any mortal agent can."

Music, like many other things worth living for, begins in the heart and washes away from the soul the dust of everyday life.

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE FOR EASTHAM FOR 1946

Mildred Wye, R.N.

During 1946 there were 403 visits made in Eastham in an effort to carry out a public health nursing program on

the prescribed one-day-a-week basis. Our time in the town is divided between school nursing and home visiting and our outside of town activities have included arrangements for special clinics and transportation to and from clinics.

Our greatest problem continues to be transportation. Without the Red Cross Motor Corps it would be impossible to plan much remedial work. It is the Red Cross who always comes to our rescue transporting children to orthopedic clinics, eye clinics, child guidance clinics and chest clinics in Hyannis and to the summer health camp at Pocasset, or anywhere else on request.

Medical examinations, which are both thorough and practical, have commenced in the school with the appointment of a school physician by the school committee. As this goes to press, we cannot ascertain the number of children with defects, but we know that all children will be cared for by their parents in Eastham. As far as we can determine, there are no neglected children in the town.

Health work in Eastham School is always progressive, due largely to the excellent support of teachers and others. From our own viewpoint, a school could hardly be more ideal. There have been no epidemics which developed beyond that old offender, the common cold. The teachers are alert to control measures and the parents very co-operative. Skin and parasitic diseases in Eastham School are so rare as to be non-existent.

This year the dental clinic was in session for three days to accommodate an increased number of children. Dental corrections may be classed as 100% for this school as all children are cared for at the clinic except a few who have their own dentist. Assistance was given the dentist by a volunteer as the nurse was unable to give up the time for this activity.

The audiometer was used for all children above grade two, and no hearing losses detected. This audiometer is owned by the county and the tests were given by Miss Juliet A. Whitteker, the county public health nursing supervisor, assisted by the nurse. No children in the two lowest grades have been noted by the teachers as evidencing a loss of hearing.

The Massachusetts Vision Test was used for all grades and all children with defects were referred to eye specialists. During the year, 21 children were referred to eye clinics, most being patients but some needing change of glasses. This becomes a major correction and also a problem. Because of the inability of some parents to meet the cost, assistance must be given through some charitable organization. It would be well if each town would establish a child welfare fund to defray the cost of eye examinations and glasses for children whose parents were unable to pay the cost themselves. There is a law which states the Town may appropriate money for eye examinations, but this is mandatory.

The annual Well Child Conference, which is financed by the Town, was attended by 26, no major defects being noted.

Seven children and adults had chest X-rays, all being negative, and two children attended the summer health camp at Pocasset.

A number of children attend the State Orthopedic clinic or the special foot clinics held at Hyannis. A speech therapist is also present and we are anxious to register all children with speech defects with her for instruction by appointment. Several children have attended the Child Guidance Clinic which is a project of the State Mental Hygiene Division. Among these have been discovered chil-

dren with reading disability, which is usually corrected under proper tutoring. The public health nurse is of course particularly interested in such children because so often they develop a failure complex, which in turn leads to a bad mental health or habits of thought. While some might argue this belongs only to the field of education, those of us who are certified public health nurses know we must be interested in the whole health of the whole child, physical, mental and emotional.

Further statistics follow:
The 403 visits made in Eastham may be divided as follows:

10	Antepartum
8	Postpartum
23	Infant
191	Preschool
92	School children
15	Orthopedic
7	TB service
33	School
10	Officials in promotion of program
14	Ineffective or not seen
403	Total

Plans for the immediate future include the offering of the Schick test to determine how effective past diphtheria immunization has been and more immunization clinics as the need arises.

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

October 1, 1946

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
1	9	7	16
2	3	4	7
3	3	1	4
4	2	5	7
5	4	5	9
6	6	2	8
7	2	5	7
8	4	1	5
Totals	33	30	63

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP BY GRADES

1936 - 1946

Gr.	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946
1	14	9	9	12	9	11	3	4	2	6	16
2	8	14	13	10	7	6	11	3	4	3	7
3	14	9	13	9	7	9	5	7	4	4	4
4	11	10	7	11	11	7	8	6	7	7	7
5	13	10	12	8	8	13	7	4	6	10	9
6	15	14	11	9	8	8	9	8	7	6	8
7	11	9	15	10	9	9	6	6	9	5	7
8	11	10	6	14	10	9	10	7	5	8	5
	97	85	86	83	69	72	59	45	44	49	63

EASTHAM PUPILS ATTENDING ORLEANS HIGH SCHOOL

Period September 9, 1946 to December 20, 1946

Name	Grade
Albert Dill	9
Forrest Shaw	9
Beverly Anderson	9
Norma Clark	9
Ruby Emond	9
Constance Dill	9
Katherine Moore	9
Marie Tibbals	9
Jane Atwood	10
Carolyn Brownell	10
Paula Schwind	10
Lois Steele	10
Barbara Walker	10
Robert Burgess	10
Nancy Burgess	10
Carolyn Whelpley	10
Richard Brown	11
Judith Brackett	11
Irene Eldredge	11
Jean Knowles	11
Robert Cross	11
Manuel Escobar	11
Reginald Moulton	11
Patricia McMakin	11

Norma Acorn	12
Leonard Brewer	12
Francis Brown	12
Maude Chase	12
Richard Clark	12
Kenelm Collins	12
Alice Doughty	12
Harry Hopkins	12
Joseph Putnam	12
June Shakliks	12
Virginia Steele	12
Robert Wiles	12
Richard Prentice	12

SCHOOL CENSUS

October 1, 1946

	Boys	Girls
Five years or over and under seven	11	7
Seven years or over and under sixteen	22	23
	33	30

Distribution of the Above Minors

In public day school membership:

Five years or over and under seven	18
Seven years or over and under sixteen	45

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1946 - 47

The Annual Meeting of the faculty of all schools in this Union was held in the Harwich High School at 9:30 A. M., Saturday, September 7, 1946.

School Opens	School Closes
September 9, 1946	December 21, 1946
December 30, 1946	February 21, 1947
March 3, 1947	April 18, 1947
April 27, 1947	June 13, 1947

School Holidays

Saturday, October 12, 1946—Columbus Day

Friday, October 25, 1946—Barnstable County Teachers' Institute

Monday, November 11, 1946—Armistice Day

Thursday and Friday, November 28 and 29, 1946—Thanksgiving Recess

Wednesday, December 25, 1946—Christmas Day (Vacation Period)

Wednesday, January 1, 1947—New Year's Day

Saturday, February 22, 1947—Washington's Birthday (Vacation Period)

Saturday, April 19, 1947—Patriots' Day (Vacation Period)

Friday, May 30, 1947—Memorial Day

Graduation—Friday, June 13, 1947 at the School Auditorium at 7:30 P. M.

Fall terms of 1947 begins September 8, 1947

Union Faculty Meeting at 9:30 A. M., Saturday, September 6, 1947 at the Orleans High School.

CORPS OF TEACHERS, DECEMBER 1946

Name	School	Preparation	Date of Beginning Service	Experience Prior to Sept. 1946	Salary	Address
Otto E. Nickerson	Grammar	Hyannis Normal	1924	27 yrs.	$2100	Orleans, RFD
Della L. Macomber	Intermediate	Bridgewater Normal	9/9/1946	19 yrs.	1700	Orleans, RFD
Vesta L. Gould	Primary	Hyannis Normal	9/7/1943	11 yrs.	1600	Orleans
Thomas Nassi	Instr. Music	New Eng. Conservatory	1929	18 yrs.	550	Orleans
W. Webster Tileston	Vocal Music	New Eng. Conservatory	1/2/1946	14 yrs.	250	Harwich

TEACHERS WHO HAVE LEFT DURING 1946

Catherine M. Skinner	September 6, 1944 to June 20, 1946	*2 years
Margery C. Grier	September 6, 1944 to June 21, 1946	*2 years

*Length of Service in Eastham.

CLASS OF 1946

Graduation Exercises were held at the Eastham School

Wednesday, June 19, 1946

CLASS ROLL

Constance Dill

Norma Jeanne Clark

Donald Wilson Lloyd

Albert Thomas Dill

Ruby Alice Emond

Catherine Eva Moore

Marie Flora Tibbals

COMPARATIVE FIGURES OF ARTICLE I

SALARIES:	Transfers	1946	1947	Un. Exp. Balance
Moderator		$ 25.00	$ 25.00	
Road Surveyor		50.00	50.00	
Constable		50.00	50.00	
Sec. Finance Comm.		50.00	50.00	
Selectmen		1,100.00	1,100.00	
Board of Welfare		800.00	800.00	
Assessors		700.00	700.00	
Town, Clerk, Treas., Tax. Col.		2,000.00	2,500.00	
Accountant		500.00	500.00	
EXPENSES:				
Welfare			250.00	
Selectmen & Assessors	$ 80.00	$ 225.00	500.00	$ 27.94
Accountant		30.00	30.00	12.82
Clerk, Treas., Tax Collect.		400.00	700.00	
Officer's Travelling		150.00	150.00	38.51
Election Dept.		150.00	100.00	4.78
Surety on Bond		100.00	100.00	18.50
Assessor's Abstracts		75.00	100.00	
Certificates of Notes		10.00	10.00	10.00
Legal		150.00	150.00	150.00
Janitor		1,500.00	1,700.00	
Town Hall	400.98	600.00	700.00	20.20
Police	100.00	150.00	250.00	60.33
Sealer of Weights & Measures		40.00	40.00	33.75
Inspection of Wiring	20.00	50.00	150.00	
Moth Suppression		800.00	1,000.00	.01
Tree Warden		100.00	325.00	87.77
Health	100.00	400.00	650.00	45.00
Inspection of Animals		40.00	40.00	
Dog Account		20.00	24.00	
Highway General		500.00	250.00	66.00
Snow		300.00	300.00	107.27
Public Welfare	600.00	700.00	1,000.00	
Aid to Dependent Children	1,000.00	1,500.00	2,500.00	46.26
Old Age Assistance		7,500.00	7,500.00	
Soldier's Benefits	1,000.00	300.00	1,000.00	68.22
Fire Department	100.00	300.00	1,350.00	1.55
Tax Title		350.00	200.00	250.00
Town Landings		300.00	400.00	70.47
Memorial Day		70.00	50.00	24.00
Community Christmas Tree		50.00	50.00	
Town Reports		300.00	350.00	
Finance Committee		10.00	10.00	10.00
Insurance		475.00	400.00	26.46
Reserve		1,000.00	1,000.00	1.35
Old Cemeteries		150.00	200.00	.10
Interest		125.00	100.00	1.25
School House		1,000.00	1,000.00	
Town Dump		350.00	400.00	11.30
Youth Center		100.00	125.00	
Schools	2,200.00	20,499.00	22,925.00	248.80
School Lunch			4,500.00	
Vocational Education		550.00	625.00	467.97
Miscellaneous	100.00	125.00	200.00	3.12
	$5,700.00	$46,819.00	$59,179.00	$1,915.73

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Including Recommendations of the Eastham Finance Committee

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Monday, the 3rd day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles in this Warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in said town at 12:00 noon on Tuesday, the 4th day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary town officers.

Polls to be open at 12:00 noon and may be closed at 5:30 P. M.

Article 1. To act upon the Annual Report including recommendations of the Selectmen and other town officers and committees and see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to defray departmental expenses for the ensuing year:

	Recommendations by Dept. Heads	Recommendations by Finance Committee
SALARIES:		
Moderator	$ 25.00	$ 25.00
Road Surveyor	50.00	50.00
Constable	50.00	50.00
Sec. Finance Committee	50.00	50.00
Selectmen	1,100.00	1,100.00
Board of Welfare	800.00	800.00
Assessors	700.00	700.00
Town Clerk, Treas., Tax Collector	2,500.00	2,000.00
Accountant	500.00	500.00
EXPENSES:		
Welfare	250.00	250.00
Selectmen and Assessors	500.00	500.00
Accountant	30.00	30.00
Clerk, Treas., and Tax Collector	700.00	700.00
Officer's Travelling	150.00	150.00
Election Department	100.00	100.00
Surety on Bond	100.00	100.00
Assessor's Abstracts	100.00	100.00
Certificate of Notes	10.00	10.00
Legal	150.00	150.00
Janitor	1,700.00	1,700.00
Town Hall	700.00	700.00
Police	250.00	250.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	40.00	40.00
Inspection of Wiring	150.00	150.00
Moth Suppression	1,000.00	1,000.00
Tree Warden	325.00	325.00
Health	650.00	650.00
Inspector of Animals	40.00	40.00
Dog Account	24.00	24.00
Highway General	250.00	250.00
Snow	300.00	300.00
Public Welfare	1,000.00	1,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2,500.00	2,500.00
Old Age Assistance	7,500.00	7,500.00
Soldier's Benefits	1,000.00	1,000.00
Fire Department	1,350.00	1,350.00
Tax Title	200.00	200.00
Town Landings	400.00	400.00
Memorial Day	50.00	50.00
Comm. Christmas Day	50.00	50.00
Town Reports	350.00	350.00
Finance Committee	10.00	10.00
Insurance	400.00	400.00
Reserve	1,000.00	1,000.00
Old Cemeteries	200.00	200.00
Interest	100.00	100.00
School House	1,000.00	1,000.00
Town Dump	400.00	400.00
Youth Center	125.00	125.00
Schools	22,925.00	21,925.00
School Lunch	4,500.00	4,500.00
Vocational Education	625.00	625.00
Miscellaneous	200.00	200.00
	$59,179.00	$57,679.00

The recommendations of the committee on all items were unanimous with the following exceptions:

Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Treasurer—Salary, Vote 4 to 3
Welfare Expense—Salary, Vote 5 to 1
Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Treasurer—Expenses, Vote 4 to 1

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Recommend that one be elected. Unanimous vote.

Article 3. To see if in what manner the Town will dispose of its refunded dog tax.

Recommend that the refunded dog tax be made available to the public Library. Unanimous vote.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of financial year beginning January 1, 1947, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Sec. 17, Chap. 44, G. L.

Recommend that the treasurer be so authorized. Unanimous vote.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Public Library, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $100.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chap. 111, Sec. 74, G.L., or take any action thereto, and act fully thereon.

Recommend the appropriation of $400.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of shellfish or take any action thereto and act fully thereon.

Recommend the appropriation of $300.00 for the following purposes: constable's salary $100.00; shellfish protection, $100.00 and propagation, $100.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken by the town under tax title procedure, and raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $700.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of fifty cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of the sum of $30.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay 1946 bills, under the provisions of Chap. 179, Acts of 1941.

Recommend appropriation if needed. Unanimous vote.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for the suppression of tent caterpillars under direction of local 4-H Club leaders, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of the sum of $50.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the road machinery fund to the road machinery operation account, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the transfer of $200.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chap. 81, Highways, or take any other action thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $3,225.00 as the town's share, and $9,675.00 to be transferred from available funds to cover the State's share which will be reimbursed to the town later. Unanimous vote.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the free band concerts to be given by the Junior Community Band, during the ensuing year, or do or act anything thereon. (By request).

Recommend the appropriation of $150.00. 4 to 3 vote.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the improvement and care of the Windmill Lot, and purchase of a World War II Memorial, or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation. 6 to 1 vote.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chap. 90, Highways Construction, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the appropriation of $1,000.00 as the town's share and $3,000.00 to be transferred from available funds to cover state's and county's shares which will be reimbursed to the town later. Unanimous vote.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from unappropriated funds in the treasury the sum of $2,100.00 for the purchase and maintenance of an ambulance jointly with Orleans, and Brewster, and authorize the Selectmen to enter into an agreement with the selectmen of said Towns for such joint ownership and maintenance as provided by Chap. 438, Acts of 1945, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 18. To see if the Town wil vote to accept by gift, land for road purposes from the abbutters, within the layout accepted under Article 25, at the last annual town meeting, and vote to raise and appropriate $25.00, for construction of said layout, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout of the extension of Horton Road, so-called, form its present terminus to the Bay, as made out by Selectmen and filed with the Town Clerk and to see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain, purchase or gift, land for said road and raise and appropriate a sum of money for such purposes and construction or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend the town so vote, and appropriate $400.00. Unanimous vote.

Article 20. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to revise the reported value of the Timothy Smith Fund by writing off notes held as security, for educational loans, which are considered to be uncollectable or worthless.

Recommended the town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a War Memorial Committee of three to investigate suitable memorial squares with monuments and plaques, for the two men who were lost in line of duty for their country in World War II, and bring in a report at a Special Town Meeting.

Recommend the town so vote. Unanimous vote.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of the By-laws pertaining to the date of the annual Town Meeting to read "the third Monday in February" instead of the first Monday in February.

Recommend the Town so vote. 6 to 1 vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the packing house of Bernard C. Collins in South Eastham; at the Post Office in North Eastham, and at the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before the time of holding said Meeting as aforesaid. Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said Meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 15th day of January in the year of our Lord, One Thousand, Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven.

MAURICE W. WILEY,
GEORGE HOWARD,
LUTHER P. SMITH,
Board of Selectmen.

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